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Or whether June's sweet roses blow,
To gladden you and me,
There always is a time of day
Our voices may be heard,
When we can pause beside the way
To say a pleasant word.

And hearts that now with sorrow ache,
Beneath some heavy blow,
Will from the shadows rise and break
The spell of all their woe,
And feel that life hath sunshine new,
And songs as sweet as birds,
If we be but humane and true,
And give them pleasant words.

MISCELLANEOUS.

From the Depths.

A sweet faced woman and a sweet-faced child are wandering among the shipping docks of the great city. The woman is plainly dressed, but evidently in her best attire, and there is a touch of gentility in her finery, in the real lace collar, relics of better days, perhaps, the pearl ear rings and neat gloves. The child is neatly dressed, too, and she clasps the woman's hand and looks love at her guardian. But the woman's face is not at its best now. It has a care-worn look and a faint wrinkle upon the forehead that ages her and lessens the charm of her features.

She is inquiring of the dockmen, stevedores and loungers about the wharves whether the brig Good Luck has come in. She always receives the same reply to her eager question, for the brig Good Luck has been lost a month ago, dashed on a lee shore and ground to pieces by the sea, and will never come in—never—never more.

If they told her she would not believe them, for the woman and her child have supreme faith that the brig Good Luck would come in soon with cargo and crew, although they have been asking the same question and prayer for many a day.

Then she goes across the street and winds her way among the bales, boxes and passing carts, and through all the hubbub and bustle of the wharf, and she climbs a flight of stairs to where the brig owners have their office. They are all used to seeing her. They smile sadly as she enters with the child, as much as to say: "Poor thing! She's mad. No wonder, no wonder."

Mad! Yes, she *is* mad with hope deferred, with anxiety to meet her husband, Caleb Shelter, master of the brig Good Luck, to meet her husband and the father of her child. Why does he stay away from them so long?

"Is the Good Luck in yet?" she asks of the clerk.

"Not yet, ma'am."

"She's expected, of course, to-day?"

"Of course."

"There's a vessel coming in now. I see the tall masts. Look!" pointing out of the office to the river front. "Maybe that's *it*. Effie, dear, look, look, there's father's vessel with father on board."

The child claps her little hands at the sight.

"Sorry to say that it ain't it, ma'am," says the clerk, relapsing into his calculations and paying no more attention to her.

She stares out of the open window at the approaching vessel drawn by a tug, and then with a blank look upon her face and a moan that is heart-rending, says:

"No, Effie, no! That's not the Good Luck. I can see the figure-head. The figure-head of the Good Luck is an angel; a white and gold angel. No, no, that's not it."

"But papa will soon come home, won't he, mamma?"

Old Mr. Tawman, who is the head of the establishment, here came from behind his desk and approaching the woman said in a kind tone:

"Mrs. Shelter, sit down and make yourself as comfortable as you can in a dingy office like this. Here, little one, come here and give me a kiss. A bright, pretty little dear, Mrs. Shelter."

"She looks pale," said the mother. "She is very tired, and has been walking too much."

The old gentleman sits down, takes the child upon his knee and kisses her. She winds her arms around his neck and says:

"You will tell papa to come soon, won't you?"

"Yes, dear."

It was the habit of the firm to pay a sort of pension monthly to the widows of captains who were lost in their service. It was not much of a stipend, only half pay, but it was certainly a blessing in very many cases. Mrs. Shelter had always received her husband's pay here, while he was at sea, or it was sent to her when she was sick or the weather bad.

"Ah, Mr. Tawman, I'm sure the Good Luck will be in to-day."

"Certainly it will. What's to hinder it?"

He puts down the child and goes over to his desk, and unlocking the drawer he takes out an account-book, begins writing a receipt. Then he goes over to the cashier's room. While he is there the telegraph operator calls him.

Click, clickety, click, goes the magic instrument, repeating a dot and a dash message.

"Hear that?" says the operator. "That is news for you!" The proprietor could read every word by sound.

"It's like a message from God," said Mr. Tawman, reverently. "I must not tell her."

He comes back to where Mrs. Shelter is sitting, his face flushed with emotion; some strange excitement. He throws into her lap a bundle of bank notes.

"There, Mrs. Shelter, now go home. Take the car at the door."

"Oh, I'm not tired. And I should so much like to be here when the brig comes in. But I thanks you so much."

"Here, little one, here's something for you to buy candy with," and the good-hearted Tawman put into her tiny, outstretched hand a bright quarter of a dollar, and laughed at the wonder and delight of the little recipient.

"I'll keep this for my papa."

Poor little thing, she is weary unto sleep. She cuddles herself into the big chair and sinks into slumber in an instant.

"Now, Mrs. Shelter, you've had no dinner," says Tawman.

"Oh, yes, sir."

"Yesterday, perhaps, but I mean to-day. Go down with Mr. Pelton there, our young man, who wants something to eat. You see we have arrangements for the comfort of our clerks. We give them a hot dinner, and a good one, too. There's nobody there. Go down there and ask the waiter, George," addressing Mr. Pelton, "to give this lady a cup of tea, piece of toast, some choice chicken and all that."

Then pausing a moment, as if propriety and philanthropy were struggling for mastery in his mind, he said:

"No, no, George, tell Henderson to send the dinner up here; that's better."

The young man leaves the office again and consults the telegraph operator.

"Send the message at once, Mr. Linsey, if you please."

He writes something—a long message, a very long message, indeed—but the President's message itself could be of not half the importance, so interesting to those it concerns.

Then by the time the message is on its way the dinner is ready in Mr. Tawman's private office, where Mrs. Shelter partakes of it, but does not think proper to awaken the tired child that she also may partake of it.

Then Mr. Tawman says:

"Now you had better go. "I'll see to the child; I'll bring the little girl up to-night with me."

"No, no," says the mother; "I must have my Effie with me, always, sir. You are good, though, sir—very good. And is there no news of the Good Luck?"

"Not a word, I'm sorry to say."

"*It* can't be possible. The brig must come in to-day."

"I'm sure I hope so with all my heart and soul, Mrs. Shelter."

"I know you do," she responded with a sigh.

"Now go. I'm sorry you have to awake the child, but suppose you can't help it."

"Come, Effie," says the mother, touching her lightly on the shoulder.

The child with a start awakens and cries:

"It's my papa. Dear, dear papa."

Then seeing her disappointment she burst into tears.

"Don't cry, dear, don't cry. The brig will come in."

The good old man spoke soothingly to the sobbing child, and the mother catching her hand, walks sadly away, followed by Mr. Tawman, who lifts the little girl down stairs and assists her and her mother into a car.

The next morning the woman, accompanied by her child, is again loitering about the wharves with the same agonizing inquiry. She again puts the question to the wharfmen, and again only receives the same answer. Then as before she seeks the office of the brig owners, and asks:

"Has the brig Good Luck come in yet?"

"Not yet, ma'am."

She sighs and looks out of the window at the shipping. She says she will wait for Mr. Tawman, and sits down.

When he comes in, as usual, he greets her very kindly and kisses the little girl, and says:

"I'm sorry the brig isn't in yet."

"Will it be in to-day?"

"I hope so."

And then he goes behind his desk to look over his letters. He has not long been engaged in his correspondence when a sharp scream from the woman startles him. She has risen and is pointing excitedly out of the window.

"Here's a ship coming. Look, look!"

"That's not it. That is a schooner," replies the clerk.

"Oh, no: that's not the Good Luck," adds Mr. Tawman.

"It is, it is."

She darts from the office, dragging the child with her; runs across the bustling wharf out to the very edge of the water.

Mr. Tawman rushes to the window; opens it and cries to her; to no purpose, however. All the clerks cluster around the window to catch a sight of her.

"The woman is mad. She is going to drown herself," says one.

Tawman says quietly to the telegraph operator:

"Is it the Mary?"

The schooner is being towed up the river by a tug. She is making preparations to anchor in the middle of the river, opposite the wharf. All this time Mrs. Shelter is standing in the midst of a crowd of excited people, waving handkerchiefs, and the little girl is waving hers.

"Look! Look there!" cries one of the clerks. "There is a man overboard." A cry of alarm goes up from the wharf.

"Heavens! what does that mean?" exclaims Mr. Tawman.

"He is swiming like a fish," says a clerk.

"He has landed. Listen to the cheering."

"Look, look!" shouted the operator. "she is hugging him; so is the little girl. It's Captain Shelter."

"Thank God!" exclaimed Towman. "Pray heaven she may not sink under the shock. Poor woman, how she clings to the drenching man. Dear, dear."

Then he puts on his hat and runs down the steps like a boy, and darts over to where the husband, wife and child are united and happy.

"Ah!" he exclaimed, shaking the captain by the hand, and not caring for the gaping and wondering crowd all around him; this is good luck, isn't it, eh? Did you get my telegram?"

When the man could speak he answered; "Yes."

"I planned it all," chattered old Tawman. "You see, I got the dispatch yesterday from the breakwater saying that you had been picked up on a raft by the schooner Mary. I told her on the car yesterday that the brig would come in, and it did. Over to the office, everyone of you, and after dinner and dry clothes captain, we'll have a talk about business. Come on."

His Wit Saved Him.

During one of those fierce and bloody struggles for the "supremacy of the seas," which occurred in former days between the Venetians and the Genoese, two galleys met in action.

After a most sanguinary conflict the lion of San Marco was forced to succumb. The ensign of Venetian power was ruthlessly wrenched from its proud positions, and the survivors upon the hapless galley were ordered to board the Genoese admiral's vessel as slaves.

No sooner were they fairly on the conquering ship, however, than the admiral—a sanguinary and ferocious man—ordered that each one of them should be served with the half of a sea biscuit, and then be thrown into the sea.

After seeing nearly all of his unfortunate comrades thus disposed of, one hearty, jovial-looking fellow, on receiving his biscuit, smiled, and after taking a bite of his ration, began to laugh so uncontrollably indeed that he was unable to chew his biscuit.

The officers about him inquired what was the matter.

But his boisterous merriment would not allow him to answer.

The admiral, with scowling brows, then approached. But the sailor, smiling serenely, simply said:

"Your excellenza will pardon me! I was just wondering whether you gave entertainments this way at home!" holding up the biscuit. "Too little to eat, and too much to drink," pointing to the water.

This sally saved him. The repressed smiling of his under officers induced the fierce brute to order a short reprieve. The man was sent below to a better dinner, and was finally set at liberty.

A Dangerous Practice.

In seeing so many children on our streets at night, the thought strikes us that *some* parents are not giving their offspring the care and attention necessary to proper training. The earnest aim of parents should be to know the whereabouts of their children when night has fallen. It is a duty they owe them; and the dangerous practice of allowing children to be out, roaming the streets and mingling with those whose morals are corrupt; staring at and insulting passers by, should not be tolerated. And undoubtedly, if parents would pursue the proper course, a vastly different result would be noticeable. Keep your boys and girls in the house and provide them with good books, papers, and pleasant amusements and they will soon cultivate a taste for such ennobling pursuits and have little desire to roam the streets and form pernicious habits. The fruits of such a course will be evident in after years when they have grown up to manhood and womanhood. They will be better prepared to fulfill their mission in life, and become examples for those who will follow them. Parents, remember that the basest habits are formed on the streets, and now determine that your children shall not receive such an education.—*Ex.*

THE OLD STORY.

The morning sunlight looked in through the silken curtains, lighting the room as with an angel's smile, suddenly enveloping the face of its occupant with a strange brightness and transforming her pale brown hair into waves of glistening gold. Said the sunlight: "Maiden, I missed you from the garden where I used to find you every morning, and I came here to seek. Summer will soon be here with her roses almost as bright as your cheeks. Are you ill?" "O, no!" responded the maiden, warming her thin, bloodless hands in the sunbeam, "only a little weak; I shall soon be out in the garden to greet you—to-morrow perhaps. I was just planning how I should arrange my flowers this year, when you peeped in. Are my lillies up yet?" "Yes, your lillies are up; I have just been warming them. I have tired you," said the sunlight, as he noticed the weary eyelids; "I will come again to-morrow if you are not in the garden"—and silently withdrew, leaving the fair slumberer alone in the gloom. A few hours later the moonlight stole softly through the silken curtains, which were gently rustling in the night breeze. "How cold!" said the moonlight, as she touched the pallid brow, and then gently laid her hand on the pulseless heart. "Dead!" she shudderingly whispered, as she withdrew through the softly rustling curtains. It is the old, old story of consumption. How she flatters her victims at morning with hope's honied words, and at evening makes them the prey of spoiler! Statistics show that one-third of mankind die of this disease, and of these, far the greater part are young persons between the ages of fifteen and twenty-five, in the dawn of manhood and womanhood. For many years, consumption was generally believed to be incurable. But medicine in her triumpant march against disease has already added consumption to her list of conquered. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures this dread disease if resorted to in time. For a full consideration of this disease and its rational method of treatment, read the article on Consumption in the Peoples' Common Sense Medical Adviser, the most reliable popular work upon Physiology, Hygiene, Diseases and their Remedies, yet published. Price $1.50. Address the author, R. V. Pierce M. D., World's Dispensary and invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

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Job work a specialty. All work warranted first class. Give me a call.

D. TUCKER.

THE McKEAN MINER.

Smethport, Pa., May 13, 1880.

H. F. BARBOUR, Editor.

Republican State Ticket.

JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT,
HENRY GREEN, of Northampton.

AUDITOR GENERAL,
JOHN A. LEMON, of Blair.

The Blaine People know how to get up a circus at all events. They will run a train from Portland Maine, to Chicago, on convention week, which train will consist of twenty palace cars. The forward car is to have a band of music and in the rear of the train there will be a platform car with a cannon and men to work it. All the towns along the route will hear from the cannon and the band. In certain emergencies the train will return home without making much fuss.

Hon. A. H. Dill and Captain William McClelland, chairman and vice chairman of the Pennsylvania Democratic State central committee are in Washington consulting with Senator Wallace and other Pennsylvania Democrats about the preliminaries of the campaign. It was very thoughtful of the managers to choose a man to run the machine, while Dill's name was to be used as a figure head. Whilst pretending to be chairman, McClelland will do the work. Dill is only chairman of the returning board of six.

The House on Tuesday decided one long pending contested seat case—that of ex-Gov. Curtin against Seth B. Yocum, from the 20th Pennsylvania district—and singularly enough decided it in the right way. Yocum was undoubtedly elected, receiving a plurality of 73 votes, and he was given the certificate and took his seat. But Curtin being a once influential man the Democracy believed they could put him through, and actually got a report from the committee on Elections in his favor. But the house upset this, and declared Yocum entitled to the seat.

Vice President Wheeler objects to Mr. Blaine's raids in Illinois and Ohio, saying: "Tradition and custom, from the foundation of the Government up to this time, have always permitted the leading candidates for the Presidency to have, without question or molestation, the delegation from their own States, but this year everything is changed, and we see one leading candidate going boldly to work trying to capture the States of his opponents. This is wrong and should be severely condemned, because it is an invasion of the common rule of courtesy and a departure from the time honored custom."

The Williamsport *Gazette and Bulletin*, an acknowledged Blaine organ, which it has an undoubted right to be, has this to say of the nomination of General Grant:

If General grant is such a weak candidate, why do the Democracy so fiercely oppose his nomination? One would think that they would naturally prefer seeing the Republicans have a weak candidate. But the fact that they oppose his nomination is one of the best reasons why the Republicans should nominate him. The truth is the Democrats fear him, because they know he will not be trifled with.

The Buffalo *Express* very aptly remarks, that "gentlemen calling themselves Republicans, who do not propose to vote for either Grant or Blaine, should scrupulously refrain from taking any part in the selection of delegates to Chicago. As gentlemen, they should not attempt to crowd themselves into a feast to which they have not been invited. The official call for the National Convention limits the invitation to participate in choosing delegates to 'Republicans, and all who will co-operate with them in supporting the nominees of the party,' whoever they may be. Regrets may be in order, but not acceptances, unless you like the terms of the invitation." This is a matter which the Scratchers and Independents appear to have overlooked. It would be well for them to remember that unless they intend to support the nominee of the Chicago Convention, they are not entitled to any voice in the selection of a candidate. If they want to become assistant Democrats they had better throw off their masks, and assume their proper position without any further circumlocution.

All honor to the Republicans of Virginia. In refusing to make alliance with repudiators they fulfill the objects of the Republican party in all parts of the country. It is on this principle that the organization of the Republican party was first effected, and on it it must stand or fall. In every canvass that has been made for the election of State or National officers the Democrat party has assumed an equivocal attitude on the subject of National, State and municipal securities. Its platforms have all had a bearing indirectly or directly towards repudiation, the position they hold as to the right to adjust the value of a security being only another name for repudiation. The same party in the South makes its best capital out of its teachings of repudiation of the national debt. It is this teaching which now makes the South solid for the Democrat party. Hence the justice of all Republicans standing aloof from alliances with a party that seeks popularity by teaching the violation of faith and integrity as a cardinal point in a political principle. The Republican party must of necessity antagonize all such doctrines. Its vital forces are all derived from its adhesion to the right as relates to equality in man and integrity in all that concerns government. It is the party of law and justice—of right and honesty. When the Republicans of Virginia refused to make an alliance with the repudiators in that State they proved how well they understood this fact, and we honor them for their honesty and firmness in its support.

The Donovon-Rooke prize fight did not come off according to programme. The Thuds were foiled by the vigilance of the Canadian authorities, to whom all honor, etc.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, May 7.

As only a month now intervenes before the assembling of the National Republican Convention at Chicago, the boommakers for the several candidates are very active. Not the last (if least important) of their duties consists in preparing tables showing the strength in delegates elected and prospective of the gentlemen in whose interest they are working. It is an axiom that figures never lie, but the compilers of tables may, as the following estimates for the first ballot at that convention will show.

Grant's friends claim that he will start with 417 votes; the count at the Blaine headquarters is for the "plumed knight" 333; while the Sherman men profess to believe that the Secretary will have 238. As there sums aggregate 998—not to mention those reasonably sure for Edmunds and Washburne—while there will be but 756 delegates in a full convention, it would seem that the friends of the candidates are trying to humbug the public if they are not themselves indulging in fond delusions.

Of the delegates thus far chosen 325 are conceded to be for Grant; 150 for Blaine; 74 for Sherman; 37 for Edmunds and 14 for Washburne, making a total of 600 and leaving 156 still to be selected. From the States yet to hold their conventions the friends of the ex-President count up 58 or 4 more than the requisite number to complete a majority. The Blaine and Sherman people contend however that this is a fictitious showing, and that from New York and Pennsylvania alone there will be bolters enough to prevent Grant's nomination on the first ballot, after which his delegations will fall to pieces. From the fragments, the adherents of the Maine statesman are sanguine enough votes can be secured to give their favorite a majority. Such are the figures made, and such the gossip floating about here in political circles. Your correspondent, while fearful that a crisis is approaching, to properly meet which will need all the intrepidity and firmness of our late grossly-villified soldier-President, and on that account anxious that he should be again selected as our standard-bearer, has not for a moment contemplated any other course than a cordial support of the nominee of the convention. He has furthermore endeavored to consider the question from the stand-point of fact, and he admits that from present indications it will be difficult to either nominate or elect him. As to Senator Blaine, while cherishing a warm personal admiration for the man, he believes the party, with him as its candidate will be thrown upon the defensive and will be doomed to defeat. Not a few here are of the opinion that the outcome of all the greatly-to-be-depreciated bitterness now exhibited by the advocates of the respective candidates will be but a repetition of the action of many conventions in the past. The men prominently mentioned will be set aside and a compromise affected upon some aspiring individual not before seriously thought of.

The following notable men, who for many years had been residents of this city, have passed away within a few days. Hon. E. B. French, Second Auditor of the U. S. Treasury. He was appointed to that position by President Lincoln in 1861, and had filled it continuously to the day of his death. He was from New Hampshire and was a man of magnificent proportions. It has been said of him that both in figure and feature he resembled Washington. Colonel J. Hemphill Jones was the individual who in April, 1861 was an agent of the Treasury Department at New Orleans, and who upon informing Gen. Dix, then at the head of that department, that indignities had been offered to our national colors received the ever-famous order: "If any man attempts to haul down the American flag, shoot him on the spot." He was for several years deputy First Comptroller of the Treasury. Hon. Jos. Segar was the first Republican ever elected to Congress from the state of Virginia. Although in his 78th year, he had been serving since 1877 in the capacity of arbitrator for the United States in the Spanish claim commission. A few evenings since, on his way hither from Norfork on the steamer "Geo. Leary" he expressed the belief to the captain, after eating a hearty supper, that he would die before morning of gout, with which he had been afflicted some months. His prediction was fulfilled. Major Gen. S. P. Heintzelman was a graduate of West Point and a veteran of two wars. He went into our struggle with Mexico with the rank of captain, and came out brevetted Lt. Colonel for gallant conduct. In the rebellion he commanded a corps under the charlatan McClellan, was in several bloody battles, and was retired at the age of 62 on account of wounds. His remains were taken hence on Monday, for burial in Buffalo. Among the pall-bearers were his old comrades-in-arms Generals Sherman, Ricketts, Hunter and Barnes.

The veto of the deficiency bill, about which hints had reached your correspondent a week before, was sent to the House on Tuesday. The President places his objections to the bill on the ground that it contains new legislation, changing existing statutes, and presenting to the executive the alternative of delaying needed appropriations, or of consenting to the enactment of laws, of which he does not at heart approve. He regards it, and very justly, as attempted coercion by the Legislative upon a co-ordinate branch of the government, and of sufficiently grave a character as to merit public condemnation. This pernicious practice of tacking riders to appropriation bills, is the only principle involved in the veto. It is "not so deep as a well, nor so wide as a church door, but 'tis enough; 'twill serve" to show to the country that the revolutionary spirit of the majority at the capitol is still alive.

Orth, of Indiana, also on Tuesday aided to break the prevailing monotony of the session by a personal explanation. He brought to the attention of the House the infamous outrage which was perpetrated upon him and the Republicans of his state by the investigation ordered by the Democrats in Congress in 1876, of the so-called Venezuela claims. He showed that Springer of Illinois was the evil genius who inspired the whole thing, that there was not a show of any irregularity about the aforesaid claims, that the investigation was started wholly for political purposes, that it was of an ex parte character, and that it was abandoned as soon as he had retired from the canvass for Governor of Indiana. He administered to the notorious intriguer from Illinois a well-deserved castigation.

Our neighbors of the ancient and solemn town of Alexandria, across the river, have had little in the way of amusement since the days of the auction-block and slave-pen. So on Monday last, just for the fun of the thing, they tied to the whipping-post a colored canal boat captain, who was believed to be guilty of appropriating to his own use a suit of clothes belonging to one of his men, and gave him 39 lashes. The spectacle afforded much sport to a large crowd of loafers.

Hal.

The Whole Case in a Nut Shell.

The Dansville *Advertiser*, one of the ablest and most steadfast Republican journals in the state of New York, thus briefly and comprehensively sums up the question as to the right of a delegate to violate his instructions:

"Advocacy of the doctrine that delegates to national conventions may disregard instructions or requests of the State Conventions which selected them is most pernicious. If carried to its logical limit it would run along down through district and county conventions and town caucuses, and into legislative bodies, and result in a complete surrender of the wishes of constituences to the opinions or whims of individuals. Obedience to the will of the people is the fundamental principle of republicanism."

A party without organization, no matter how important or exalted the principles which might compose its creed, would drift as hopelessly and as helplessly along as a ship without a rudder. Its primary meetings would amount to nothing, its conventions, county, district and State, would be painful exhibitions of chronic weakness, and its delegates would be as liable to be found doing service in behalf of the enemy as for the party they were chosen to represent. If the right of the majority to rule is discarded, and delegates are allowed to represent themselves instead of the bodies which select them, is an end to discipline, and without that no party can long exist. The business of an agent is to represent his principal, and the business of a delegate is to represent the sentiment of the convention from which he derives his authority. The party which undertakes to conduct a campaign upon any other method will assuredly go to pieces, and make an early shipwreck of its hopes and fortunes. Those who are endeavoring to run the Republican party by this process will do well if they abandon the attempt and return speedily to the "good old way."

Why flaunt the bloody shirt? Why bring us the obsolete issues of the war? ask all the Democratic papers in chorus. Of course, why not forget that there was a rebellion, and why not fail to remember that the sympathies of the Democratic party were against the government during that terrible and protracted struggle. It would be well perhaps, for the Democratic party, if all these things could be lost sight of in the coming struggle for the Presidency, but would it be wise for the Republic?

A Common Mistake.

To consider as consumption what is really an affection of the *liver*. To keep your liver healthy and your blood pure and thus avoid many distressing complaints, use *Parmelee's Great Blood and Liver Purifier*. It cures sick and nervous headache, and indigestion, and removes all unhealthy bilious secretions of the stomach and bowels. For costiveness no medicine is so effectual; also for bad breath, sour stomach, etc. *A positive guarantee of no cure, no pay.* Price per bottle, $1; sample bottles, 15 cents. Sold by A. B. Armstrong.

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Every dairyman wishes to get the top price for his butter. It can be done by having it perfect in quality and appearance. When the color becomes light it is necessary to add a little of Wells, Richardson & Co.'s Perfect Butter Color to keep it up to the June standard. Many well known butter buyers recommend all their patrons to use only this preparation, as it gives the most perfect color.

—Those of the gentle sex who have experienced the pain and annoyance caused by excoriated nipples and inflamed breast can well appreciate the value of a remedy which removes the trouble. This is precisely what Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil does, besides curing, when used internally, asthma, croup, and other maladies. Turn to advertisement in another column.

—When exhausted by mental labor take Kidney-Wort to maintain healthy action of all organs.

Lost.

This is to give notice that the undersigned has mislaid or lost a road bond numbered 21, dated July 7, 1877, amount $100, and drawn to Lois J. Rockwell. The above bond is of no value to anyone but myself, as payment will not be made upon it, and if found a speedy return to me is requested. A. D. Burbank.

Smethport, April 29, 1880.

To Whom it may Concern.

Parties indebted to me are requested to call at my store and settle their accounts to date, without further notice or delay. Remember that these matters must be adjusted at once, as I am determined to balance my books.

W. T. Callar.

Smethport, April 29, 1880-3t

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LEGAL.

Sheriff's Sales.

By virtue of a writ of Levari Facias issued out of the court of Common Pleas of McKean county, to me directed, I have levied upon the following described real estate which I shall expose to public sale at the Court House in the Borough of Smethport, on Monday the 24th day of May A.D. 1880, at one o'clock p. m.

All that certain piece of land situate in Bradford township, McKean county, Pa., the undivided half of the following: Beginning at a post in the north east corner of lands late David W. Mason located and staked out by Thomas King, surveyor, thence north three degrees east one hundred rods to a beech tree; thence south eighty-seven degrees east sixty-four rods to a post; thence south three degrees west one hundred rods to a post, thence north eighty-seven degrees west sixty-four rods to the place of beginning containing forty acres and in warrant 4096, subject to all the conditions contained in deed from F. G. Babcock et al to J. H. & W. H. Mandeville dated March 27, 1877. Having thereon four oil wells, four carpenter rigs complete, four engines 15-horse power, two boilers 20-horse power, tubing, casing, steam pipes and connections, sucker rods complete, three 250 barrel tanks and houses, one 100 barrel tank and house.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of W. H. Mandeville at the suit of J. H. Mandeville.

R. SARTWELL, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Smethport, May 3, 1880.

Traverse Jurors.

Drawn for Fifth Monday of May, 1880.

Annin—Chas Bellows, H N Harder, E H Nichols.
Bradford City—Joseph Bahney.
Bradford Township—A P Corwin.
Ceres—D B Brown, R A Barber, W K King.
Corydon—E G Colburn, Isaiah Hills, Henry Nobles.
Duke Center borough—E N Meddaugh.
Eldred—W L Curtis, Owen Charles, Chas Harwood, E B Lamphere, S H Smith, Henry Southard, Miles Tupper.
Hamilton—J A Anderson.
Hamlin—J M Robinson.
Keating—Thomas Goodwin, Newton Hyde, F C Olds, Wm Ripley, M S Sheldon.
Liberty—H J Barrett, S T Cole.
Norwich—Ira Burdick, Orlando Gallup.
Otto—F Clark, John Duke, P McIntosh.
Smethport—D O Gallup.
Sergeant—J F Keating.
Wetmore—O W Lindholm.

Court Proclamation.

The Hon. HENRY W. WILLIAMS, President Judge, and the Hons. W. S. BROWNELL and F. N. BURNHAM, Associate Judges of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court and Court of Common Pleas of the County of McKean, have issued their precept bearing date Friday, April 9, 1880, and to me directed, for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court, and Court of Common Pleas, in the Borough of Smethport on Monday the 24th day of May, A. D. 1880, and to continue one week.

Notice is therefore hereby given to Coroners Justices of the Peace and Constables, within the county that they be then and there in their proper persons at 1 o'clock p. m. of said day, with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations, and other remembrances, to do those things which their offices appertain to be done. And those who are bound by their recognizances to prosecute the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of said county of McKean are to be then and there to prosecute against them as well as just.

Dated at Smethport, May 3, 1880, and the 104th year of the Independence of the United States of America. R. SARTWELL, Sheriff.

Grand Jurors

Drawn for Fourth Monday of May, 1880.

Annin Township.—C B Roberts.
Bradford Township.—George Martin, Allen Tibbitts.
Bradford City.—William Gregg.
Ceres Township.—Benjamin Crocker, F F Hamilton, E W Wells.
Duke Center Borough.—J V Brown.
Eldred Township.—S S Barrett, Edward Carpenter, Frank Knapp, William Mulvaney.
Hamilton Township.—I A Anderson.
Kendall Borough.—M B Chamberlain.
Keating Township.—Thomas Hussey, Mathias Otto, Allen Ride, Edick Wright.
Liberty Township.—L H. Dolley, J F Shartz.
Otto Township.—Wells Keelen.
Sergeant Township.—Jacob Hafner.
Smethport Borough.—Frank Kerns.
Wetmore Township.—William Morrison.

Traverse Jurors

Drawn for Fourth Monday of May, 1880.

Annin Township.—Charles Bridge.
Bradford City.—J S Boyd, F H Koch.
Bradford Township.—Harrison Chase, D E Foster, Hiram Gilbert, A K Johnson.
Ceres Township.—W K Morse.
Corydon Township.—Warren Ballard, B P Morrison, C D Seman.
Eldred Township.—C H Brown, M G Knapp, E H Lamphere, W H Soule, David C Wood, J J Cook.
Hamilton Township.—W T Byham, Chas Vance.
Keating Township.—J H Bean, Andrew Reilly, Samuel Rockwell, Henry Roeder.
Liberty Township.—C H Cole, F M Coleman, E Fitch, F F Hastings, S S Lillibridge, Patrick Moran, S L Whitman.
Lafayette Township.—Orlando Hagadorn.
Norwich Township.—G A Burdick, John B Oviatt.
Otto Township.—Erastus Barton, Orrin Cummings.
Sergeant Township.—Robert Dick, John Embler, Orrin Perry, Lewis Steinhauer, S C Townsend, W T Totten.
Smethport Borough.—Chas Douglas, Geo A Hyde, F O Richmond.
Wetmore Township—James Campbell, F J Glatt, D T Hall, J O Lyddell.

FINANCIAL STATAMENT

Of Smethport Borough funds for the year ending April 12th, 1880.

To Cash from Vickery, Collector		500 72
" " " F Kerns Pound Master		14 73
" " " W D Gallup, Licenses		6 00
" " " P. Ford, Justice Fines		5 00
" " " G. M. Smith "		3 00
CREDIT.		
By paid treasurer Hamlin over drawn		$11 82
" " Order taken up and canceled		441 89
" " Commission on 441 89 @ 2 per ct.		8 84
" balance in hands of Treas. Haskill		126 29
Outstanding indebtedness $14 71	589 44	$589 44

Statement of Smethport Bond fund for the year ending April 12th, 1880.

To cash from J C Hamlin late Treas.	$ 19 31
" " Vickery, Collector	371 05
CREDIT.	
By bonds taken up and canceled	$280 00
" interest paid on coupons	83 00
" State tax on loans	1 16
" commission 231 10 @ 2 per ct.	4 05
" balance in hands of Treas. Haskill	44 36
Outstanding indebtedness $403 00	$383 36 $383 36

A. B. Armsrong,
Warley Giff ord,
Ed. McSweeney. } Auditors

Trial List.

Commencing May 31, 1880.

1 P Ford Adm'r vs J R Clark Adm'r. No 3 February Term 1877. Assumpsit.
2 L G Peck vs A T Newell et al Wellington Smith and Olean, Bradford & Warren R R. No. 163 February Term 1878. Ejectment for land in Bradford Borough.
3 Dennis Moley vs Bradford Oil Co. No 264, February Term 1878. Assumpsit.
4 H Janes vs Lewis Emery, Jr., and D McKelvey, doing business as Emery Oil Co. No. 228, June Term 1878. Ejectment for land in Bradford Township.
5 McIntosh and Hemphill & Co. vs N C Clark. No 345, June Term 1878. Assumpsit.
6 Knapp's Creek Oil Co. vs McDonald & Haferman. No 420, June Term 1878. Ejectment for land in Otto Township.
7 R B Craft vs Bradford Gas Co. No 337, September Term 1878. Ejectment for land in Bradford Township.
8 Frank C Shoemaker vs J H Lego & Co. No 41, December Term 1878. Appeal from Justice.
9 M E Dunlap vs W C Riddell, W H Clark and John Tonkin. No 231, December Term 1878. Ejectment for land in Eldred Township.
10 F W Ames vs Cleveland Oil Co. No 243, December Term 1878. Assumpsit.
11 Hardy & Co vs Cleveland Oil Co. No 244, December Term 1878. Assumpsit.
12 O A Colton vs Johnson. No 367, December Term 1878. Assumpsit.
13 Farr & Thompson vs H P Burr. No 435, December Term 1878. Appeal from Justice.
14 E S Crocker vs Alexander Cummings & Co. No 476, December Term 1878. Case.
15 William Middaugh vs Bradford Oil Co. No 481, December Term 1878. Ejectment for land in Otto Township.
16 O Smith & Co vs J M Bemus, John Nelson and A T Newell. No 531, December Term 1878. Sci. Fa Sur. Mechanic's Lien.
17 Use of Samuel K Kilt vs E W Ingham. No 543, December Term 1878. Assumpsit.
18 B E Culler vs George N Story and Widow C B Smith, Arch Levens et al T. Tenants No 581, December Term 1878. Ejectment for land in Bradford Township.
19 W L Chrisman vs G W Hicks. No 588 December Term 1878. Trover & Conversion.
20 W & J Duke vs D Harris, Asher Brown et al. No 612, December Term 1878. Case.
21 Gibbs & Sterrett Manufacturing Comp'y vs Cleveland Oil Co. Case.
22 Bennett & Plumstead vs Dix & Co. No 144, February Term 1879. Sur Assumpsit.
23 W L Chrisman vs G W Hicks. No 187, February Term 1879. Ejectment for land in Bradford Township.
24 Van Wormer and White vs Nelson Peabody, Frank Smith, Executor of Henry Smith and Geo. N Smith. No 293, February Term 1879, Assumpsit.
25 Robert Barton vs William Middaugh. No 318, December Term 1879. Ejectment for land in Otto Township.
26 C J Lane & Co vs N Parry. No 418, February Term 1879. Capias in Trespass and Damage.
27 Frank Davis, Adm'r vs Bradford Township. No 446, February Term 1879. Case.
28 E Parsons, Trustee, vs George Smith. No 497, February Term 1879. Ejectment to enforce Specific Performance.
29 B K Hurd vs E W Parshall. No 26, June Term 1879. Appeal from Justice Docket.
30 John Duke vs K H McBride, with notice to Alex Cummings et al Terre Tenants. No 46, June Term 1879. Ejectment for land in Otto Township.
31 Eaton Cole Burnham Co vs E W Evans. No 57, June Term, 1879. Trespass.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LEGAL BLANKS!

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Amicable Scire Facias,
Amicable Revival,
Affidavit and Recognizance for Appeal,
Attorney's Confession on Judg't Note,
Affidavit and Attachment for Board,
Attachments,
Attorneys' Receipts,
Bond of Indemnity to Constable,
Bond—License,
Bond—Judgment,
Bond—Constables',
Bond of def't in att'chm't,
Bond for stay of exec't'n
Blank motion,
Commitments,
Constable's sale,
Collector's Sale
Contract—Land,
Contract—Teachers,
Charters of Incorporation, with app.
Commission—Letter of Instruction,
Deed—Warranty,
Deed—Fi. Fa.
Deed—Quit Claim,
Declaration Common Counts (2 kinds,)
Execution.
Election Notice,
Foreign Attachment,
Leasehold Mortgages,
Lease—Oil (3 kinds,)
Lease—Land,
Mechanic's Lien,
Marriage Certificate,
Note—Judgment,
Notice of Protest,
Narr, with copy of account.
Oath & bond for att'at (writ
Petition for License,
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HUNDREDS OF PERSONS cured of this much dreaded disease, who came from various parts of the world, are now living witnesses of their wonderful skill in rescuing them from a terrible and untimely death. Ministers and the poor treated free. Write for a circular giving the full particulars. Address Dr. GEORGE CRANE, Addison, N. Y.—15-37

LINES OF TRAVEL.

McKEAN & BUFFALO RAILROAD Time table went into effect Monday, April 5, 1880, at 4 o'clock a.m.

SOUTHWARD.

MAIL—Leaves Larrabee 11.35 a. m., arriving at Frisbee 11.42; Cory's, 11.44*; Farmers Valley, 11.53; Smethport, 12.05 p.m., Crosby, 12.20*, Colegrove, 12.23; Hamlin, 12.27*, Wernwag, 12.45*; Clermont, 12.57.

EXPRESS, No. 4.—Leaves Larrabee 5.25 p.m., arriving at Frisbee 5.35†; Cory's 5.38*; Farmers Valley 5.50; Smethport 6.05 p. m.

ACCOMMODATION, No. 6.—Leaves Larrabee 8.00 a.m., arriving at Frisbee 8.10†; Cory's 8.13*; Farmers Valley 8.25; Smethport 8.45.

LOCAL, No. 10, second class.—Leaves Larrabee 3.50 p.m., arriving at Frisbee 3.55†; Cory's 4.00*; Farmers Valley 4.12; Smethport 4.25; Crosby 4.41*, Colegrove 4.44†, Hamlin 4.49*, Wernwag 5.06*, Clermont 5.20.

CLERMONT COAL, Second Class, No. 20.—Leaves Larrabee 3.45 a. m., arriving at Frisbee 3.53*, Cory's 3.55*, Farmers Valley 4.05†, Smethport 4.22, Crosby 4.38*, Colegrove 4.41†, Hamlin 4.46*, Wernwag 5.10*, Clermont 5.20.

NORTHWARD.

EXPRESS, No. 1.—Leaves Clermont 5.40 a.m. arriving at Wernwag at 5.50*, Hamlin 6.00*, Colegrove 6.03†, Crosby 6.06*, Smethport 6.23, Farmers Valley 6.35; Cory's 6.47*, Frisbee 6.50†, Larrabee 7.00.

MAIL, No. 3.—Leaves Clermont at 1.32 p. m., arriving at Wernwag 1.38*, Hamlin 1.50*, Colegrove 1.53, Crosby 1.56*, Smethport, 2.15, Farmers Valley 2.25, Cory's 2.35* Frisbee 2.38, Larrabee 2.44.

ACCOMMODATION, No. 5.—Leaves Smethport, 9.00 a.m., arriving at Farmers Valley 9.12 Cory's 9.25*, Frisbee 9.28†, Larrabee 9.38.

LOCAL AND ACCOM., No. 15.—Leave Smethport 6.10 p. m., arriving at Farmers Valley 6.21, Cory's 6.33*; Frisbee 6.35†; Larrabee 6.42.

BUFFALO COAL, No. 17.—Leaves Clermont at 5.40 p.m., arriving at Wernwag at 5.55*, Hamlin 6.07*, Colegrove 6.10†, Crosby 6.13*, Smethport 6.30, Farmers Valley 6.42†, Cory's 6.53*, Frisbee 6.55†, Larrabee 7.05.

Trains will not stop at stations marked with a star (*). Trains will stop at stations marked thus (†) when flagged.

S. V. GODDEN, *Superintendent*

BUFFALO, NEW YORK & PHILA. R'y Time Table went into effect Sunday, April 4, 1880:

SOUTH.

Mail—Leaves Buffalo at [illegible] a. m. arriving at Olean 10.48 a. m., Larrabee 11.32, Emporium 12.50 p. m., connecting at Olean for Bradford, at Emporium for points west on Phila. & E. R. R.

Philada. Express.—Leaves Buffalo 2.00 p. m. arriving at Olean 4.38, Larrabee 5.22, Emporium 6.40 p. m., connecting at Olean for Bradford and at Emporium with Phila. & Erie R. R. for Williamsport, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Baltimore and the South.

Arcade Local—Leave Buffalo 6 p.m. arriving at Arcade at 7.32 p.m.

NORTH.

Buffalo Express.—Leaves Emporium at 5.55, arriving at Larrabee 7.16 Eldred 7.25, Olean 7.58, Buffalo 11 a. m. making direct connections at Eldred and Olean with trains to and from Bradford.

Mail—Leaves Emporium 1.30 p. m. arriving at Larrabee 2.57, Eldred 3.10, Olean 3.52, Buffalo 7.20 p. m. Trains from Philadelphia, Baltimore and the South make direct connection with this train at Emporium, for Bradford and other points in the new oil country; also for Buffalo. Trains on the Kendall & Eldred R. R. at Eldred and trains on Olean, Bradford & Warren R'y at Olean make direct connection with the above train for Buffalo.

Arcade Local—Leave Arcade at 6.40, arriving at Buffalo at 8.12 a. m.

Pennsylvania Railroad.

Philadelphia & Erie R. R. Division

WINTER TIME TABLE.

On and after Sunday, NOV. 9th, 1879, the Trains on the Philadelphia & Erie Railroad Division will run as follows:

WESTWARD.

ERIE MAIL leaves	Philadelphia	11.55 p.m.
" "	Renovo	11 00 a.m.
" "	Emporium	1 15 p.m.
" "	St. Mary's	2 11 p.m.
" "	Kane	3 30 p.m.
"	arr. at Erie	7 55 p.m.

EASTWARD.

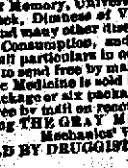
ERIE MAIL leaves	Erie	11.20 a.m.
" "	Kane	4 00 p.m.
" "	St. Mary's	5 27 p.m.
" "	Emporium	6 25 p.m.
" "	Renovo	8 40 p.m.
"	arr. at Philadelphia	7 00 a.m.

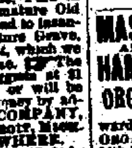
Wm. A. BALDWIN. Gen'l Supt.

NERVOUS DEBILITY.

GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE.

TRADE MARK THE GREAT TRADE MARK ENGLISH REMEDY, an unfailing cure for Seminal weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that follow, as a sequence of Self-Abuse; as Loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature Old Age, and many other diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption, and a Premature Grave.


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AFTER TAKING.

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Large and complete assortment in their line always on hand.

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FURNISHING GOODS,

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SAVE YOUR MONEY

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Those preferring garments made to order can be accommodated. First-class fits guaranteed.

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For the Least Money.

No. 30, Main Street,

Eldred, McKean Co., Penn'a.

FRESH MILK

Delivered every Morning

The undersigned having established a regular route for the supply of fresh milk to the people of Smethport and vicinity, solicits the patronage of the community. GEO. W. KING.

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At the BRICK STORE, Cor. Main and Fulton Streets.

CAN ALWAYS BE FOUND

The best stock of STOVES,

RANGES AND TINWARE.

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AND BUILDERS' HARDWARE.

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AND WHITE LEAD.

The best stock of LAMPS,

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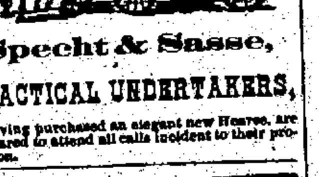
BROOMS AND GLASS.

SILVER AND PLATED WARE

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"Read of, procure and use Hop Bitters, and you will be strong, healthy and happy."

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"Sour stomach, sick headache and dizziness Hop Bitters cures with a few doses."

Send for Circular.

"$500 will be paid for a case that Hop Bitters will not cure or help."

"Hop Bitters builds up, strengthens and cures continually from the first dose."

"Kidney and Urinary complaints of all kinds permanently cured by Hop Bitters."

"Hop Cough Cure is the sweetest, safest and best. Ask children."

"The Hop Pad for Stomach, Liver and Kidneys, is superior to all others. Cures by absorption. Ask Druggists."

"D. I. C. is an absolute and irresistible cure for drunkenness, use of opium, tobacco and narcotics."

All above sold by druggists. Hop Bitters Manufacturing Co. Rochester, N. Y.

Pensions.

Applications for pensions must be made before the 1st of July next. Otherwise the pensions will commence at the filing instead of the date of the discharge.

O. H. WHEELER,
Attorney and Pension Agent.

Bradford House, Bradford, April, 1880. 25-3m.

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HAVE OPENED to the Public the largest and best Selected Stock of GENERAL MERCHANDISE ever offered to the People of McKean County.

THEY WILL TAKE

POTATOES,

CORN, OATS, RYE,

BUCKWHEAT, DRIED APPLES,

Berries and Cherries,

BUTTER, CHEESE,

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And Old Rubber Boots

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BOOT AND SHOE STORE.

THE PUZZLE SOLVED.

35 cents Will buy One Pair MEN'S SLIPS.	50 cents Will buy CHILDREN'S SHOES.	$1.00 Will buy a Good pair of CHILDREN'S SHOES.	$1.25 Will buy Ladies WALKING SHOES
$1.50 Will buy a VERY NICE ONE.	$2.00 Will buy KID SHOES.	$2.50 Will buy a No. 1 PEBLE GOAT SHOE.	$3.00 Will buy a FRENCH KID SHOE.
$4.00 Will buy a BETTER ONE.	$2.50 Will buy MEN'S BOOTS.	$5.00 Will buy a Good Pair of Sewed BOOTS.	$2.10 Will buy the Best FLOUR.
Timothy And Clover Seed At Low Prices.	Canned GOODS of ALL KINDS.	Tobaccos and Cigars AT WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.	AT J. P. WENDEL'S Main Street, SMETHPORT, PA.

The above is the only Correct Solution thus far given.

J. P. WENDEL'S

Is the only Genuine Grocery and Provision House

In SMETHPORT, PA.

MILK! MILK! MILK!

The undersigned takes pleasure in announcing to the citizens of Smethport and vicinity that his arrangements are finally completed, and that on Monday, February 2, he will establish a

NEW MILK ROUTE!

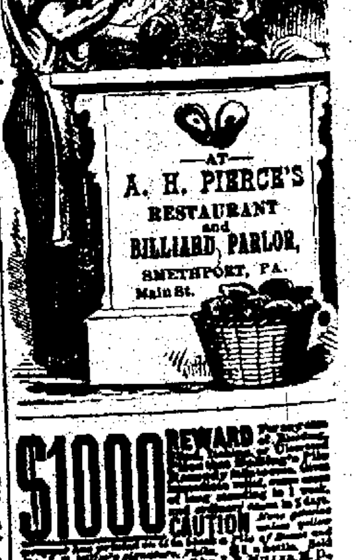
Pure, Fresh and Rich Milk.

At 5 Cents a Quart

until Spring, when the price will be reduced. The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited and satisfaction guaranteed.

Wm. Ramer.

Smethport, Pa., Jan'y 29, 1880-tf.



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Go away from home to

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BETTER BARGAINS AT HOME.

LOOK AT THESE PRICES:

Single Harness, - $12 and upwards.

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These goods are all hand-made by first-class workmen and with first-class material, using both Hemlock and Oak tanned leather.

CALL AT MY SHOP and I will convince you that I can do better by you than can any foreign dealers.

I. S. GLEASON

Smethport, Pa. April 24, 1879.

$1000 REWARD [illegible] CAUTION [illegible]

THE McKEAN MINER.

Smethport, Pa., May 13, 1880.

E. H. BARD, Editor and Proprietor.

L. W. MASON is receiving small invoices of HARDWARE Every day which he is selling Low for Cash.

A small and well selected stock of

Stoves and Ranges

At MASON'S.

I keep the Celebrated BRUNSWICK OIL STOVE Guaranteed to work perfectly.

SPECIAL PRICES on TINWARE, and on all kinds of Job Work, having had many Years experience in the business, and doing my own work, I am prepared to give the

LOWEST PRICES

on any kind of work pertaining to my Business.

In case of absence of both myself and clerk I have arranged a place under the door where Customers can shove their money.

L. W. MASON.

HERE AND HEREABOUTS.

—Best white lead in Smethport is at Sprague's, at $10 per hundred.

—None but reliable insurance companies represented by W. H. Mandeville. tf.

—Insure your life with W. H. Mandeville, Olean, N. Y tf

—Eight weeks from last Sunday will have launched the Fourth of July right into our midst.

—Joseph & Dornberg, of Eldred, are the leading merchant tailors of the county. tf

—Several million feet of lumber was destroyed by fire at Williamsport on Friday night.

—If you want a good fitting suit of clothes get them made to order at Joseph & Dornberg's, Eldred. 20-tf

—Mrs. B. D. Hamlin who has been visiting her daughter in Washington returned home on Saturday.

—Nobby hats and caps, boots and shoes, &c., at Joseph and Dornberg's, Eldred. 20-tf

—Courtney passed through Elmira Saturday evening on his way to Washington, to get up a row with Hanlan.

—If you want to buy tobacco and cigars at bottom prices, go to Reilly's where the sale of these articles are made a specialty. tf.

—The late Peg Leg road at Bradford, is now only recognized by a few pieces of upright timber which will also be swept away in a few days by vandal hands.

—Mrs. Dr. W. Y. McCoy accompanied by her son Ed. started for Brookville on Monday, to visit a brother and sister of Mrs. M., who reside at that place.

—The annual meeting of stockholders of the Buffalo Coal Company will be held at Clermont on the 20th inst. Notice elsewhere.

—Fitz Stephens, the illicit distiller, arrested at Wellsboro, used molasses instead of grain, but he couldn't give the revenue officers any taffy.

—The *Register* says Mr. James Pollock, of Fall Brook, goes to Clermont, McKean county, to take place of Mr. Graham Macfarlane, resigned.

—The Messrs. Brawley, of this borough, sustained severe losses by the recent oil fires as did Arnold & Dolley, of Port Allegany. The latter firm lost six rigs.

—Judge Brownell and his estimable wife are making an extended pleasure trip through the western States. All join in wishing them a pleasant trip and safe return.

—By advertisement elsewhere published it will be seen that Mr. Andrew Reilly offers the highest cash price for wool. Cloth of every kind also exchanged for the same.

—District Attorney Smith has returned from his Eastern trip looking much better for having taken it. He made us a pleasant call this morning and reports his trip a most pleasant one.

—Hughes, of the *Reporter*, has one of the finest arranged printing establishments in the northern tier of counties. It is convenient, pleasant, and in fact a model office in every respect.

—Go to A. B. Armstrong's for Mrs. Freeman's New National Dyes. For brightness and durability of color are unequalled. Color from 2 to 5 pounds, Price 15 cents. tf.

—Reading matter of an interesting nature may be found on every page of the MINER. We shall endeavor to give our subscribers all the reading matter our advertising patronage will allow us to.

—Fifteen wives are said to be bereaved by the enforced retirement of Clarence Davis to the Illinois States Prison. He cornered the matrimonial market in every place he visited suggests the Kingston *Freeman*. He lived by marrying.

—Both King and Ramer have commenced running their milk wagons twice a day instead of once as heretofore. This is as it should be during the warm months. It might be well to state also that both have reduced the price of milk to four cents a quart.

—A little son of "Stan" Braisted who lives in the Peg Leg depot building, Bradford, cut his hand about a week ago from the effects of which he died on Tuesday morning. The cut was not considered dangerous but lock-jaw resulted on the day mentioned, causing the little fellow's death.

—In another place in this week's paper an advertisement headed "Town lots for sale" appears, a reference to which will inform any one desiring to purchase building lots, of their location, &c. No more eligible or pleasant lands for building purposes can be found within the borough limits.

—The Philadelphia *Star* of April 29th speaks in the following complimentary manner of Gen. Kane, while in that city recently: "Gen. Kane, of Kane, Pa. (on the top of the Alleghenies), is in town for a day, on important business. A soldier, a hero, a scholar, a gentleman, a patriot, Gen. Kane is one of the most useful and progressive of Pennsylvania's sons. His residence is at Kane, where he dispenses a liberal and most gracious hospitality. Kane is a favorite resort in the summer time. They have a noble hotel there—the Thompson House—owned by Gen. Kane."

—Wheelbarrows sold at Sprague's at $2.25—same as are being sold here at $2.50.

—Rubin, not to be behind the times, has placed an elegant safe in his store in the Ford building. It is Marvin's make and of sufficient capacity in which to store any amount of jewelry and $1000 bills. He has also placed upon his shelves a large variety of new clocks.

—One of th best and pleasantest hotels in the county is the Sartwell House, Port Allegany, kept by that prince of good fellows, Steve Sartwell. Guests of this hotel cannot but feel at home, for Steve is always around to look after the comfort of his patrons. Do not fail to stop at the Sartwell House when you go to Port Allegany.

—A thousand spectators witnessed the prize fight last Friday at Scranton, Pa, between Dave Richards and Tom Thomas. At the end of the twenty-seventh round the combatants could hardly stand and the fight was declared a draw. During the fight when the blood spurted from Richards mouth, the spectators cheered lustily, and Richard's wife broke through the ring, exclaiming, "Go for him Dave." The battle will be fought over again soon.

—Berea Grindstones, best known, sold at Sprague's at $1.25 per hundred. Others are selling an inferior stone at $1.50.

—We are indebted to Hon. C. H. Foster for late copies of Hot Springs (Arkansas) papers. Mr. Foster has been spending some months in the southern States, and at last accounts had arrived at Hot Springs. He is making an extended trip in the hope of benefitting his health, and his many friends in this county will be pleased to hear upon his return that the object sought for has been obtained.

—Cause and effect, with impressive lesson: A man visits an open well after dark with a lantern—25,000 barrels of oil consumed, and Red Rock laid in ashes. After building a brush fire near a well, a man goes to dinner—Rew City destroyed; likewise a number of rigs and quantity of oil. By a woman's careless management of gas in a stove, eighty buildings at Rixford go up in a smoke, 60,000 barrels of oil are in flames and the end is not yet.—Olean *Times*.

—Mr. W. L. Holman, who for many years has occupied the position as master mechanic of Kane shops, has been appointed to a similar position at Renovo, and left on Monday to enter upon the discharge of his duties at that place. Mr. H. can count upon many friends in this place, and warm personal friends, too, who deeply regret his removal from our midst, and their good wishes for his future success and prosperity follow him. We commend him to the favorable consideration of the good people of Renovo.—Kane *Blade*.

—The trade at Reilly's cigar store is no longer confined to the exclusive sale of cigars and tobaccos for they have recently added a large stock of gent's furnishing goods, stationary, cloths suitable for custom work, umbrellas, canes and everything in the line of fancy goods. An elegant assortment of walking canes are kept and sold cheaper than ever before. Take a look at them and we are sure you will buy, for you cannot fail to find one which will be suitable both as to price and style.

—N. W. Abbey has been delegated by the other two Commissioners to oversee the work of construction of the new Court House. The arrangement is an excellent one as some one should be upon the ground all the time to see that the work is done as it should be. Mr. Abbey is peculiarly adapted to the position, as he is himself a practical mechanic and in every way qualified for the task to which he has been assigned. The work done under his supervision will be satisfactory to all concerned.

—Some Americans were boasting in Paris about their inventions, and the wonderful machines to be found in the States. One of them told of the mincing-machine which, a live pig being introduced at one end, turned out the animal in sausages at the other end. An Irishman, who was not going to have the Yankees riding rough-shod over every other nation, turned on them and said, "Bedad, we have the same machine in Ireland, only ours is more perfect, sure, for if you don't like the sausages, you can put them back into the machine, and by reversing the action they'll come out live pig again where they went in."

—D. R. Hamlin returned from his extened southern trip on Saturday last, his wife having arrived home a week or two previously. Mr. Hamlin does not seem to have formed a very exalted idea of the "Garden of Eden" to which the sunny South is often compared, but on the contrary is very much pleased to get back to the land of plenty where he can get "something to eat." His trip was made on account of impaired health, but whether he has been permanently bettered by it we are unable to say at present. However, it is hoped by his many friends that he will not be forced to take another one, for under such circumstances to travel is anything but enjoyable.

Death of J. M. Welch.

We are pained to learn of the death of James Welch, which occurred at his home in Jamestown yesterday. He was found dead in bed and is supposed to have died of neuralgia of the heart. He was well known in this county as a large-hearted and estimable man, and his death will be learned with sincere regret.

Memorial Day in Bradford.

Decoration Day occuring on Sunday this year, it has been decided to hold the exercises in and around Bradford on the afternoon of the 29th. A committee of the G. A. R. Post will decorate the graves of soldiers at Custer, Sawyer, and Tarport during the forenoon of the day mentioned. In the afternoon the ceremonies will be held in Bradford, at which time, His Honor Mayor Broder, will be invited to preside. An address will be delivered by Hon. H. W. Williams, President Judge of the county Courts. Music will be furnished by the Bradford and Randolph, N. Y., brass bands. Ministers of all the churches will be invited to participate. The city fire department, all secret societies, members of the various Sunday schools, the city government and citizens will be asked to join in the procession to the graveyard. It is the intention of the committee to have programmes printed in due time.

New Departure.

Alfred Sturdevant, our popular tonsorial friend, has just purchased a stock of A No. 1 cigars and placed them in his shop for the benefit of those who indulge in the luxuries of the weed. Alfred is a judge of cigars and whatever he recommends as being good can be depended upon as being such. His shop is a convenient one into which to drop and get shaved or buy a good cigar, and we have no doubt his friends will take advantage of their opportunity to do so.

Must Be Published.

Auditors of boroughs and townships too often neglect the publication of their accounts. The law requires that it should be done and affixes penalties for neglect of such duty. Cases have come before the courts in several counties of the State, and the auditors have been fined. The law is very clear on the subject and as soon as the auditors have settled their accounts they are in duty bound to publish them as the law directs. When the borough or township has no indebtedness, neglect to publish incurs a fine of $20; and if the borough or township is in debt, the neglect incurs a fine of $1,000.—Harrisburg *Telegraph*.

Concerning Road Tax.

The Supreme Court of Pennsylvania has recently rendered several decisions of general interest in the matter of road taxes. The right of farmers to work out their road taxes has been generally, but not universally conceded, supervisors in a few townships insisting that the tax must be paid in money. A test case has been decided in favor of the taxpayers, and their right to work out the tax distinctly and finally affirmed. In other cases collectors of road tax have claimed a commission on the part worked out as well as on that paid into the Township Treasury. The Supreme Court decides that all claims for such commissions should be rejected the working out of the tax imposing no labor on the collector or, treasurer but only on the supervisor, who is fully paid for his services.

Frisbee's.

One of the busiest little hamlets to be found anywhere in this vicinity is Frisbees, a few rods east of the McKean & Buffalo depot bearing that name. Thomas Frisbee, one of the most energetic business men in the county, is the owner of a saw mill, general store and a grist mill at that point, and is doing a flourishing trade. He has recently built a new store and dwelling house which for beauty and convenience cannot be excelled. Both the store and dwelling are under one roof and are finished in elegant style. The store is well filled with groceries and general merchandise, and the proprietor aims to keep in stock everything which the patrons of a general store demand. Tom says he buys as cheap as any of them and will not be undersold. He starts for the city on Monday next to purchase new goods, and upon their arrival invites the people of that vicinity to call and examine them and satisfy themselves that goods can be bought as cheaply at his store as elsewhere in McKean county. Ready made clothes, boots and shoes and hats and caps a specialty, though everything in the line of groceries, &c., may be obtained of him.

Card of Thanks.

SMETHPORT, May 12, 1880.

To the Citizens of Smethport:

Some time has passed since the purchasing, and hanging of the bell in the Baptist Church of Smethport, yet the contributors have not been forgotten, as you have the heartfelt thanks of the Church and its Pastor; and in after years may your names be cherished by those who shall contribute to the Church, and as the Bell swings to and fro may it ever tell the public spirit of those whose names I give below:

B. D. Hamlin, W. A. Williams, A. B. Armstrong, A. Hamar, M. A. Sprague, W. S. Brownell, W. D. Gallup, Warley Gifford, Jno. R. Chadwick, E. Quackenbush, H. Hamlin, R. Sartwell, Specht & Sease, C. S. King, M. L. Armstrong, S. D. Freeman, David Sterrett, Robert H. Rose, John G. Boyer, H. F. Barbour, N. W. Abbey, J. B. Brawley, Wm. Haskill, H. L. McCoy, J. P. Wendel, A. H. Pierce, M. H. Picard, Wm. Raymer, Sheridan Gorton, P. Ford, S. J. Gifford, T. A. Morrison, A. Walters, Geo. Ogilvie, J. W. Reilly, F. R. Knapp, James Maguire, W. Ostrander, S. W. Patterson, D. L. Forsyth, Hugh P. Brawley.

The amount contributed was $213; weight of bell, 626 pounds; weight of bell and hanging, 850 pounds; cost of bell and hangings $215.57; freight on the same $9.35; total $224.94.

REV. W. C. WILTSE.

From Farmer's Valley.

FARMER'S VALLEY, May 12, 1880.

Our farmers are very busy building fences, pulling stumps, doing spring work and the Valley is putting on a prosperous look.

Mrs. Wm. Rice one of our old residents has been very sick, but we hear she is more comfortable and hope are entertained of her recovery.

During Monday's shower a tree was struck by lightening just above the barn of H. W. Hibbard. Some travelers who took refuge in the barn from the storm, felt the shock considerably. It spun them around a few times pretty lively.

Rev. V. B. Crumb is visiting at Mr. Hibbards. Mr. Crumb as will be remembered went to Burmah as a Missionary in '76. He goes back in June, and says he goes with pleasure to do the work for Christ.

Mr. Ettenger, a peddler well known in this community, met with a serious accident last Monday night. He was riding from Rixford and got his foot caught in the wheel of the wagon, and his limb was fractured very seriously—a compound fracture. He is at Capt. Coryx, where he is kindly cared for. M.

The Western New York Home Burned.

RANDOLPH, N. Y. May 9, 1880.

The Western New York Home for the friendless, located midway between East and west Randolph, was destroyed by fire about 3 p. m. The origin of the fire is as yet not known. About 25 inmates are thus thrown out doors, none of whom are fifteen years of age. Great excitement prevails, and the loss is not yet fully known. Two of the inmates are missing, and it is feared that they have fallen victims to the merciless flames.

The loss is a severe one to Randolph and especially to Western New York, as this is the only institution of the kind within its borders.

TERRIBLE DESTRUCTION!

FIRE RAGING IN FORESTS STUDDED WITH OIL WELLS AND TANKS.

TWO OIL TOWNS ASCEND IN SMOKE.

The terrible fires of the past week which have visited and devastated some of the oil towns of this county are unprecedented in their work of destruction. The charred and blackened ruins in and around Rew City, Rixford, Knapp's Creek, Coleville, State Line, Rock City and other places show the fearful work of destruction which has been going on during the past few days. Rew City and Rixford have been nearly swept away by the fire fiend, and the suffering naturally following such dreadful events is beyond the power of any one to conjecture. Rarely has the country been called upon to witness so destructive a conflagration, spread over such a large field in the same length of time. Had these fires all been planned, and the torch of an incendiary applied, the simultaneousness of the conflagrations, in some instances, could not have been more perfect. We give below a brief account of these fires as gathered from trustworthy sources and exchanges in the immediate vicinity in which they occurred:

REW CITY.

First to notice is the total destruction of Rew city, a town of only about four month's growth, which, situated as it is, on the summit of the ridge dividing Kendall Creek and Cole Creek, high and dry, would appear to have so many advantages over the towns situated in the valleys where burning oil from the tanks on the hills above could pour down upon them, that its chances of immunity from fire appeared far superior to its sister towns; but it is now a thing of the past. It appears that sparks from a boiler near the town, set fire to Fisher & Pickett's well No. 6, and that the flames, fanned by the high wind prevailing traveled with incredible rapidity over the intervening distance, devouring underbrush and timber until they reached the town, where the forked tongues of the flames licked up building after building, leaving the inhabitants of the place barely time to escape if they indeavored to save a vestige of their household goods, and the dense smoke so confused many of the fleeing people that it was only the presence of mind of others that saved these panic-stricken ones from perishing in the flames amid the confusion and desolation that prevailed. In about three hours the flames had devoured the town and property to the amount of over $50,000.

Half a mile north of Rew City, the same day, the premature explosion of a torpedo while being lowered in Bradley & Co.'s No. 6 on the Taylor tract, set fire to the rig and a well adjoining, and the flames devastated some acres of oil lands with the property on them before stopped.

In Foster Brook the fire started at Gillmor & Co.'s No. 7, at the foot of the hollow leading to Bell's Camp and extended in a south-easterly direction over the dividing hill, through the C., B. & H. track into the valley beyond, and the flames communicated from this section through a portion of the Willets tract to the western borders of the Borden lands.

A fire also between Oil Valley and Tram Hollow, by which Mr. O. Noble lost about 400 cords of hard wood, three rigs and receiving tanks.

The summary of rigs destroyed is as follows: In East Branch, 2; Tuna Valley, 6; Kendall Creek, 54; Foster Brook, 101; Tram Hollow, 9; beside which a large number of tanks and vast quantities of oil were destroyed.

RIXFORD.

Rixford opened the ball on Sunday afternoon, at about four o'clock. Squire Cline's housekeeker went into his office and lighted the gas, which was immediately followed by an explosion, and the flames spread through the building. In less than one half hour from the time the explosion occurred the flames had gained such headway that all efforts to save the town were futile, and the inhabitants turned their attention to saving what property they could lay hands upon, and succeeded remarkably well under the circumstances, which were such as "try men's souls." The fire swept Main and Railroad streets on both sides, destroying 80 buildings, valued at about $100,000, on which there was an insurance of about $35,000, which is distributed among a large number of companies.

There were about 100,000 barrels of oil burned, 62,000 of which was in tanks belonging to the United Pipes Lines, who entailed a loss not far from $30,000. Forty derricks were also consumed, together with oil in small tanks at wells, involving a total loss to owners of from $30,000 to $40,000.

The Kendall & Eldred railroad sustained, in the burning of depot, cars and track, a loss of about $15,000.

The entire loss for Rixford will probably reach $200,000.

Thirty families are homeless, but with the energy and pluck characteristic of the denizens of oil region towns, many of them are already making preparations to rebuild. Several saloons have been opened under shade trees and tents, and the "ardent" is being dispensed to a thirsty crowd, who, now that their business is gone, seem to think of nothing else. The postoffice is again open for business, and mails will be received and dispatched as usual.

The rumor that three men were missing proves to be without foundation.

The following buildings are under course of construction or soon will be: John Kramer, grocery; J. H. Schanbacher, Yeomans House; J. K. & G. Mitchell, grocers; H. E. Dickenson, P.O.; A. Garvin, blacksmith shop and residence; Frank Dana, billiard room; M. W. Brundage, bakery and hotel; John Goodnough, Scranton House; P. Haran, saloon; A. A. Hopkins, office; John McKeown, office.

MORE FIRES.

As we go to press news reaches us of the destruction of three more villages which were last night swept from existence by the terrible fires which seem destined to annihilate the northern field. Oil Center, Middaughville and Otto City are the last victims of the destroying element and remain longer only in name, while Duke Center is in constant fear of being the next. The losses by these fires cannot be estimated at this writing, but must be immense.

BITS OF LOCAL HISTORY.

REVIEW OF SMETHPORT AND VICINITY.

The Old Settlers—Their Perils and Difficulties.

Interesting Reminiscences and Incidents of 60 Years ago.

Hon. Byron D. Hamlin is custodian of some ancient manuscript which belonged to Francis King and the late Orlo J. Hamlin, a portion of which is copied for the benefit of the readers of the MINER as relics of "ye olden time." The first relic is the original deed of Robert Morris (of Revolutionary fame and one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence,) and his wife Mary, dated January 6, 1797, containing a large number of tracts of land in McKean, Clearfield and Clinton counties, since held by William Keating & Co. It is a parchment deed, about three feet square and written with a pen when men knew how to use the quill. If any one has a desire to see the most beautifully executed document their eyes ever beheld let them call at the office of Mr. Hamlin. The next original parchment deed is from Wm. Bingham to Omer Taylor, afterward conveyed to John Keating & Co., dated December 21st, 1796, containing about 300,000 acres, lying in McKean and Potter counties.

The next articles of interest are copies of old papers which belonged to O. J. Hamlin, a slight reference to which will perhaps be of interest to some of our readers. The Bradford, (Pa.) *Settler*, published in 1826 is dressed in mourning and chronicles the death of Thomas Jefferson and John Adams whose deaths took place on the 4th of July, 1826. The *Democratic Analysis*, also published in Bradford county, bearing date of February 24, 1842, is also among the old relics preserved by Mr. Hamlin. This paper mentions the nomination of "Orlo J. Hamlin, Esq., of McKean county for Representative to Congress."

The first newspaper established in Smethport was the *Forester*, published and edited by Hiram Payne in the year 1838. Next was the McKean county *Journal*, published and edited by Richard Chadwick in 1834. Next was the *Beacon*, published by Asa Howe Cory, about the year 1839. In about the year 1845 Wm. S. Oviatt published the *Settler and Pennon*, and in 1847 F. B. & A. H. Cory published the McKean *Yeoman*. Of the above newspaper editors Messrs. W. S. Oviatt and A. H. Cory are yet residents of this vicinity and are in Smethport nearly every week. Of the papers of a recent date it is not necessary to speak, as all are familiar with their history.

The next object of antiquity is Francis King's blank book of 231 pages. It is bound in parchment and has the appearance of being 150 years old and perhaps it is. It was made before binding after the fashion of modern times came into use. The stationers business card is pasted on the inside cover and reads in this wise: "Bedham Stationer, Church street, opposite Union street,—schools and shops served as cheap as in London. Books neatly bound in vellum or leather. Umbrellas made and mended." In this book Mr. King kept the record of his survey of the boundary lines of Mr. Keating's lands adjoining the line of New York, and the Holland purchase in that State, as well as the lands of Wm. Bingham, Jacob Ridgway and the Jones lands in Pennsylvania. The boundary between New York and Pennsylvania being in controversy, a joint comission was created by the two States to determine accurately where the line should be established. The above book, which contained the earliest records as to the location of the lines lying north of McKean county was heard of and called for to be used by the chief of the New York Commission.

Mr. King was an Englishman and came to America in 1796, took the agency of the Keating lands and settled on the Oswayo Creek. He named the town Ceres. It was a "serious" place in the wilderness, inhabited by wild beasts and sixty miles from any settlement. He was an estimable man, a Quaker and very conscientious. He was very eccentric in his ways and would never do any thing after the manner of the wily Yankees. When he cleared the land on the hillside he compelled his men to roll the logs up hill because the Yankees rolled their logs down hill! When he died, in about 1817, his son John was made the agent of the aforesaid Keating lands. Francis King was a scholar and a practical surveyor. In running the boundary lines of the above mentioned vast body of lands he kept field notes of every day's work as well as a sort of diary of occurrences and observations. His survey commences in this wise: "The 1st of the 7th month, 1801. Began at a hemlock corner 63 perches west of the Holland company's 18 mile stake on the State Line when we found a south line, which proved to be the district line dividing District 2 and 3, and traveled it south through a thick windfall.

2d day. State Line marked on a beech with the initials 'T. W. October 10, 1793.' Soil chocolate colored; timber, white pine, hemlock, beech, sugar tree, &c. Our provisions being exhausted we returned home.

The 12th of the 10th month. Found a line blazed for a road from the head of Pine Creek to the head of the Oswayo, in the fall of 1797. We then went to meet the pack horses on the south branch of the Allegheny. 19th of the 12th month. Found a sugar tree corner with initials, one marked 'O. S. S.' and under it the letters 'S. T. E.' Having no bread we stayed in camp to bake some. Expecting the rest of our company with provisions we waited for them and they came in the afternoon.

17th of the 10th month, 1806. Proceeded with the road and lodged at the Alleghedy. 18. One of our horses being lamed yesterday we were obliged to leave it and proceed with the other, which happening to fall into the water with all our things detained us a considerable time. 8th. Thomas Smith having been taken sick and getting no better we thought it expedient to get him home and we started, arriving on the 10th, about noon.

Running of the town lots of Smethport, &c. 24th of the 8th month, 1807. Left home to go to Smethport and loaded at the mouth of our creek. 25th. Continued up the river and lodged on Potato Creek. 26th. Continued, and coming on rain we camped near the forks of the creek. 27. Still raining. In the afternoon went up the small branch and built a camp. 28th. Finished camp and moved our things up to it. 29th. First day of the week—washed. 30. Got out stakes for corners.

19th of the 9th month. Finished surveying the lines of the town."

Mr. Keating gave the first settlers 50 acres of land. In the year 1812 he commenced the survey of the following gentlemen's lands in Farmer's Creek to-wit: Robert Gilbert, Mathias Otto, Geo. Otto, Joseph Otto, Jonathan Moore, Zacharia Thomas and William Ashley.

Joseph Otto taught the first school in the county gratuitously for the benefit of his neighbor's children as well as his own. His school house was in the shape of an inverted "V," built of logs and covered with bark.

Old uncle Dunbar, as he was familiarly called, the father of Jonathan ("Uncle Daunty") was a good old honest Dutchman, dressed in a suit of home-spun made by his excellent wife, was the first singing master in the county. In the occasional religious meetings which were held at his house he always took the lead in singing. On one occasion after the hymn was given out, he arose and named the tune. After three fruitless efforts to get the pitch he exclaimed: "I can't strike that tune if I should swallow a hammer." Uncle Dunbar had a farm in Farmer's Valley and a saw mill, the first in the county. His saw mill gave him a great deal of trouble. The machinery becoming deranged and the mill dam having been swept away by the floods he finally got out of patience and exclaimed: "If the Lord had given Job a sawmill instead of boils the devil would then have got him."

Port Allegany Items.

—"Steve" is renovating the Sartwell House.

—Business prospects are good here at this time.

—Much interest is taken, especially by our farmers, in the success of the Agricultural Society.

—Query—When will the citizens of Port Allegany move in the matter of securing a Borough charter?

—It is probable that a much larger quantity of bark will be delivered at this point during the present season than last.

—Some good sport is promised by the officers of the Driving Park, the attendance of some fast "flyers" being promised for the season.

—The dwelling house owned by Alburn Crandall at Port Allegany was destroyed by fire yesterday. The fire is supposed to have originated in a defective flue. The occupants were C. W. Hooker and family who succeeded in saving most of their household effects. It was only by the greatest efforts of our citizens that the foundry of Rew & Rollins was saved from burning when the house of Mr. Crandall's was in flames.

Hear Ye!

When people hear of our neighbors cutting down the price of goods and aiming to undersell all others, let them not deceive themselves by the idea that they can trade elsewhere cheaper than with me. I can and will meet any prices which our competitors descend to, and will sell as low as any of them. A trial will convince all of this fact.

WM. HASKILL.

To the Public.

S. M. Lyman would anounce that he continues the manufacture of all kinds of custom Boots, Shoes and Gaiters at the corner of Main and Union streets in J. P. Wendel's basement. Ladies and gents' fine boots and gaiters a speciality. Repairing neatly and promptly done. I have some boots and gaiters of our make for sale. Call and see me.

I will also repair and adjust all kinds of sewing machines; all parts of sewing machines furnished on short notice. All work warranted.

Those indebted to me on book account will please call and settle the same immediately as I must close all book accounts at once. I need the money due.

S. M. LYMAN.

May 3, 1880.

New Advertisements.

Town Lots For Sale.

The subscriber offers a number of town lots for sale, located east of Nelson street and south of Water street. W. Y. McCOY.

Smethport, May 10, 1880.

WOOL WANTED.

I will pay the highest market prices for either washed or unwashed wool delivered at Reilly's Cigar Store in Smethport. A fine assortment of cloths, cassimeres and flannels will also be given in exchange for wool.

A. REILLY.

Smethport, May 13, 1880-25-3m.

Sale on Mechanic's Lien.

Take notice, that I will sell at public sale at my shop on Water street, in Smethport borough, on Thursday, the 3d day of June, at 10 o'clock a. m., one side spring top buggy, left in my hands for repairs by E. Buck, now supposed to be owned by C. B. Olcott, which will be sold in accordance with the act of Assembly approved Dec. 14, 1863, for the amount due for repairs on same.

FRANK KERNS.

Smethport, May 13, 1880-25-3t

WE BLOW FOR YOUR HAM!

—THE—

SMETHPORT CORNET BAND

is prepared to furnish music for

PICNICS,

PUBLIC MEETINGS, &c.

Address:

M. L. ARMSTRONG,

Sec'y.

THOMAS FRISBEE.

—DEALER IN—

GROCERIES and PROVISIONS,

AND

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

Boots and Shoes, Hats, Caps and Ready-made Clothing a Specialty.

PRICES WAY DOWN.

Thomas Frisbee.

Frisbee, May 13, 1880-3mos.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NOT "BUSTED" YET.

BUT ABLE TO PAY CASH FOR ALL GOODS AND GIVE CUSTOMERS THE BENEFIT.

WILLIAM HASKILL.

MAIN ST., SMETHPORT, PA.

We Are Daily Purchasing New Goods, And

OUR STOCK IS ALWAYS COMPLETE

WE KEEP AND SELL CHEAP:

DRY GOODS AND DRESS GOODS,

LADIES' AND GENTS'

FURNISHING GOODS,

GENTS' AND YOUTHS'

READY-MADE CLOTHING

HATS,

CAPS, BOOTS AND SHOES.

FANCY AND STAPLE

GROCERIES

THANKING OUR PATRONS for past favors, we shall strive to deserve a continuance of their patronage by fair and honorable dealing. Call and be convinced that we deal squarely by everybody.

William Haskill.

FALL AND WINTER STYLES.

W. D. GALLUP,

Is now prepared to exhibit a Large stock of

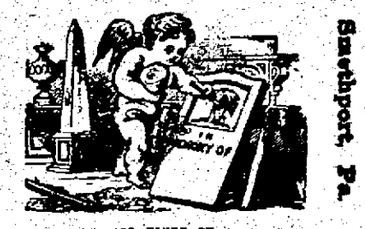
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The Grocery & Boot & Shoe Department is Always Complete.

J. DIGEL'S MARBLE FACTORY,



ALL KINDS OF

Monumental, Marble and Stone Work Done to Order.



Thomas Robinson, Farnham Centre, P. Q. writes:—I have been afflicted with rheumatism for the last ten years, and have tried many remedies without any relief, until I tried *Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil*, and since then have had no attack of it. I would recommend it to all.

J. B. Dickenson, Andover, N. Y., writes:—My little girl eight years old had three of her fingers mashed. So serious was the injury, that it was supposed that her fingers must be amputated. Wishing the fingers in cloths, we then applied Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil freely. Imagine our grateful surprise when, in less than five minutes, the child ceased crying, and made no subsequent complaint. We allowed the bandage to remain one week, occasionally saturating with the Oil, when, to our further surprise on removing them the fingers were almost entirely well.

E. H. Perkins, Creek Center, N. Y., writes:—I was troubled with Asthma for four years before using your Eclectric Oil, and for many nights after retiring I had to sit up in bed, my suffering being intense; while the cough was so severe that the bed-clothing would be saturated with prespiration. Two bottles of your Eclectric Oil effected a complete and perfect cure, and I cheerfully recommend it to all, as I know of no other medicine that will cure Asthma.

Robert Lubbock, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, writes:—I have used Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, both for myself and family for Dyptheria, with the very best results. I regard it as one of the very best remedies for this disease, and would use no other.

Pope & Bilton, Druggist, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, writes:—We have never sold any medicine that gives the satisfaction to the customer and pleasure to the seller as Dr. Thomas Eclectric Oil.

Sold by A. B. Armstrong, Smethport, Pa. Price 50 cts and $1.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FREDERICK DOUGLASS indignantly denies the truth of the report that he had promised to solicit Governor Cornell, of New York, to commute the sentence of Chastine Cox. He says Cox is a cold-blooded murderer if there ever was one, and that he richly merits hanging. He insists that all he asks for the colored man is fair play.

ONE of our citizens was arrested by Sheriff Gillies at Salamanca on a Governor's Requisition. He was delivered into the charge of Sheriff Sartwell of McKean Co. Pa., at this place yesterday. The arrest is said to have been the result of a misunderstanding as the affair was settled satisfactorily without further proceedings.—Friendship *Chronicle*.

W. L. SCOTT, of Erie, the keeper of Tilden's bar'l in Pennsylvania, and the trusted lieutenant of the state, is spoken of as a dark horse at Cincinnati. What has given rise to this suspicion is not known, unless it has leaked out that he has been named as a legatee in case Speaker Randall is cast overboard. It is well known that his relations to the great cipherer are close and intimate, and at the Harrisburg convention he publicly announced on the floor that he had provided rooms at two of the best hotels in Cincinnati for the Pennsylvania delegation, and that they should report there and ask no questions. Perhaps that has given rise to the report.

THE President has formerly tendered to Postmaster-General Key the position of Judge of the United States District Court of Tennessee, made vacant by the death of Judge Trigg, and Mr. Key accepted. The nomination will be sent to the Senate in a few days. Nothing definite is known touching Judge Key's successor. Postmaster James of New York, is generally regarded as the most fitting person for the succession, by reason of his long connection with the principal Post Offices of the country and his eminently successful administration of postal affairs at New York City. It is feared, however, that the fact that New York has already one representative in the Cabinet may prove an obstacle to Mr. James' deserved promotion. In case Mr. James is not appointed, it is believed Judge Key's successor will be selected from one of the Southern States.

MR. GARFIELD protested in the House Saturday against being held responsible by the newspapers for the non-action of the Ways and Means Committee on the proposition to reduce the duty on paper and paper material. Considering that he controls but one vote in the committee and is a member of the minority party it does seem a little unfair. The Democrats are in a majority on the committee as in the House, and it is the custom to hold the majority responsible for all legislation. Nevertheless says the Buffalo *Express*, if he would take hold and help reduce or abolish the duty complained of, doubtless the prospect of something being done would be greatly improved. The influence of his ability and information is probably great—perhaps greater than that of any other member. And where he possesses such moral force he is likely to be held morally responsible.

IT might as well be clearly understood by the Republicans of the State, that the Democracy are united, and that the drubbing which Wallace received at Randall's hands has produced that kind of harmony which will make every Democrat work in the traces with a slavish zeal that will not permit anything like growling or kicking to interfere with the great purpose of carrying Pennsylvania by the Democratic State ticket, which will insure the victory of the Democratic candidate for President. These are now the games of the Democracy. In Philadelphia, a union of the belligerent wings has already been affected. The Democracy of the State have earnestly resolved to unite, and will make their union a test on the State ticket. These are facts which we must not conceal. There is no special danger in them, if the Republican party will only regard them for what they are worth, and act like men who know how to confront such obstacles in a great battle for principle. We must organize and consolidate in every election district in the State, and lift up the old battle cries of freedom, equality, integrity and law, wherewith the Republican party in the past has always been carried to victory.

UNDER our naturalization laws natives of every race and color can be admitted to the rights of citizenship in the United States. The Mongolian, Caucasian, African, all races, every color, can secure naturalization under our laws; but it now seems that the fifteenth amendment to the Federal Constitution makes no provision for the American Indian. It is doubted in judicial circles whether a red man, an Indian, child of the forests and of the plains of North America, can under our naturalization laws secure citizenship in the United States. We have repeatedly stated that Chinese are making arrangements to become citizens by naturalization, and to this no exception is taken, the courts being wide open for such admissions to the franchises and rights of American citizenship. But it is a question, we repeat, whether the North American Indian can be elevated to this dignity. A case is now before the United States court at Omaha which will test this question. It seems to be one of contradictions, which will be watched with interest by the country until it is decided.

THE platform adopted by the recent Democratic convention in this State is somewhat of an amusing affair. They seem to be very much exercised over what they term as attempts to interfere with the freedom of the ballot—and yet they have failed to make slightest reference to that curious history of State elections in South Carolina, Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi, Louisiana and Kansas, where armed gangs of ruffians took possession of the polls and prevented Republicans from exercising the right of suffrage; and that other outrage in Maine, which was well-nigh successful in installing in office a Governor and Legislature which the people had repudiated. This was certainly a great oversight, because herein the party had an excellent chance to strike a very effective blow in defense of a free ballot and an honest count.

Assassinated by a Convict.

The Elmira Reformatory was again the scene of a brutal and atrocious murder Thursday morning. The principal keeper McKelvey, was stabbed by a convict named Symonds, and died almost instantly. The crime was committed about half past eight o'clock that morning. It seems the convict, was about to be punished for insubordination. The keeper entered his cell for the purpose, when the convict sprang upon him with a knife and struck the fatal blow in the pit of the stomach. The unfortunate officer reeled from the cell, and after walking a step or two fell forward on his face dead.

The deceased was a tall man with sandy moustache, and thin face. He has a wife and three children living in a cottage at the base of Reformatory Hill, and when the woman was informed of the tragic death of her husband, her grief surpassed all bounds. She was completely prostrated and went into violent paroxyism of grief.

"The Schoolmaster is Abroad."

This wellk nown and oft-quoted phrase has a noble origin. It is taken from the following sensible bit of eloquence of Lord Brougham, the eminent English orator:

There have been periods when the country heard with dismay that the soldier was abroad. That is not the case now. Let the soldier be abroad—a less important person in the eyes of some, an insignificant person, whose labors have tended to produce this state of things. The schoolmaster is abroad! And I trust more to him, armed with his primer, than I do to the soldier in full military array, for upholding and extending the liberties of the country. The adversaries of improvement are wont to make themselves merry at what is termed the march of intellect, and here, as far as the phrase goes, they are in the right. The conqueror moves in a march. He stalks onward with the pride, pomp and circumstances of war, banners flying, shouts rending the air, guns thundering and martial music pealing, to drown the shrieks of the wounded, and the lamentations of the slain.

Not thus with the schoolmaster, in his peaceful vocation. He quietly advances in his humble path, laboring steadily till he has opened to the light all the recesses of ignorance, and torn up by the roots the weeds of vice. His is a progress not to be compared with anything like a march, but it leads to a far more brilliant triumph, and to laurels more imperishable than the destroyer of his species, the scourge of the world, ever won. Such men—men deserving the glorious title of teachers of mankind—I have found laboring conscientiously, though, perhaps obscurely, in their blessed vocation, wherever I have gone. Their calling is high and holy; their renown will fill all the earth in after ages, in proportion as it sounds not far off in their own times.

A Millionaire's Sudden Death.

Fifteen years ago, in Olean, N. Y., Samuel Fox, a wealthy iron manufacturer of Philadelphia, died in that city, leaving, among other valuable property 1,000 acres of land in Clarion county, Pa., in the midst of the best oil, producing land of the lower region. His son, William L. Fox, at the age of 20 years assumed the management of this part of the estate. He died on Thursday, at the age of 25 years, with a fortune of $3,000,000. The manner of his death was peculiar. He was President of the Foxburg, St. Petersburg, and Clarion Railroad Company. In the employ of the company was a conductor named Claither, a man for whom Mr. Fox entertained the warmest personal friendship. A few weeks ago, a peddler named Clancey got aboard Claither's train. When the conductor passed around to collect the fares, Clancey refused to pay. He was put off the train. He drew a revolver and shot Claither, who died from the effects of the injury. Clancey was lodged in jail at Clarion, and he was arraigned for trial on Wednesday. The pistol with which he shot Claither had been taken by Mr. Fox and was in his possession. It was wanted in court. Mr. Fox intended to take it with him to Clarion Thursday morning. He got upon the train, and when it had gone some distance from the depot he found that he had forgotten the revolver. He had the train stopped, and ran back to his residence to get the weapon. When he returned to the cars he was nearly exhausted from his exertion. He sat down in a seat, and when the conductor a few minutes afterward came to the seat to speak to Mr. Fox he was dead. Besides being President of the railroad company mentioned, he was at the head of several other extensive interests in the oil regions. His property, without extraordinary development, was producing 12,000 barrels of oil a month. He was the largest owner of private iron tankage in the oil regions, and the only producer owning an individual pipe-line of any magnitude. He was engaged in erecting an immense refinery on his property at the time of his death, to be operated with oil from the Fox wells, run entirely through the Fox pipe-lines. He was on the Republican Electoral ticket of Pennsylvania for the Twenty-fifth District, and would have been a formidable opponent of Gen. Harry White for the Congressional nomination next fall. He was chairman of the Republican County Committee. He was a graduate of the Troy Polytechnic Institute.—New York *Times*.

IF Speaker Randall did carry off the honors of the late Democratic convention he will discover that Senator Wallace carries the Chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee in his pocket before the canvass of 1880. A. H. Dill is as much in Wallace's interest as Randall is in that of Tilden. And so they laugh best who laugh last. The light of clearfield county has not yet been put under a bushel.

The Human Locomotive

Should be carefully engineered, otherwise it may run off the track of life at any moment. To keep its delicate internal machinery in perfect trim, or put it in good working condition, use *Parmelee's Dyspepsia Compound*. The tone and vigor which it imparts to the stomach, its appetizing effects, the relief it affords in headache, its anti-bilious properties, and its superior merits as a general corrective, makes it the most valuable family medicine of the age. Price per bottle, $1; sample bottles, $15 cents. Sold by A. B. Armstrong.

The Bombay Twins.

There is at present in Bombay a living object that may rightly be classed among the most curious phenomena of nature. At a home in Mazagon may be seen a pair of female twins, separate in every respect but from the breast-bone to the lower part of the abdomen, which is closely joined. The upper breast of each infant is closely joined into the other, the outer skin covering both trunks. The twins are joined front to front; shoulders, arms, lower limbs and feet perfectly formed, and development healthy, while the heads are well shaped and the faces really pretty, with beautiful eyes, large and bright. The twins are six months old, and in perfect health, and measure twenty inches in height, one appearing in but a very trifling degree, larger than the other.

Both have vigorous appetites, and take kindly to the feeding-bottle, are extremely lively and appear good tempered. The pulses beat in unison; they generally fall asleep or keep awake together, and their actions are usually simultaneous, though sometimes one would cry while the other was quietly drawing at the mouthpiece of its bottle. The strangely united pair was born at Dapoli in the Rutnagherry Collectorate, the father being a Mohammedan and a seafaring man, while the mother had beside a pretty little daughter about 10. The infants feed separately, each having a bottle to itself, and draw vigorously at their nourishment. The same doctor also declares it would be impossible to separate them without extinguishing life. The twins have, up to this time, never grown ill, and, to every appearance, are likely to grow up.

Speak a Cheerful Word.

Did you ever go out in the morning with a heart so depressed and saddened that a pall seemed spread over all the world? But on meeting some friend who spoke cheerily for a minute or two, if only on different matters, you have felt your spirits wonderfully lightened. Even a child dropping into your house on an errand has often brought in a ray of sunshine which did not depart when he went his way again. It is a blessed thing to speak a cheerful word when you can. "The heart knoweth its own bitterness" the world over, and those who live in palaces are not exempt, and good words to such hearts are like apples of gold in pictures of silver. Even strangers we casually meet by the way, in the travelers' waiting room, are unconsciously influenced by the words and tone we use. It is the one with pleasant words on his lips to whom the stranger in a strange land turns for advice and direction in his perplexities. Take it as a compliment if some wayfarer comes to you to direct him which street or train to take; your manner has struck him as belonging to one he can trust. It is hard sometimes to speak a pleasant word when the shadow rest on our hearts; but nothing will tend more to lighten our spirits than doing good to another. When you have no opportunity to speak a cheering word you can often send a full beam of sunshine into the heart of some sorrowing, absent friend by sitting down and writing a good warm-hearted letter.

A Real Romance.

Many years ago there was a young fellow named Bigelow sent by his father to Yale College. The father was very rich, and the youngster lived in grand style at the university. Suddenly the old gentleman broke and had to withdraw his son from college. The boy, however, felt the necessity of an education, and determined to have one anyhow. He therefore went to work and learned a trade as machinist. While he was at work his old associates refused to have anything to do with him. The young ladies with whom he had been a great favorite, failed to recognize him when they met him. One day, when going from his work, he met a wealthy young lady who had been his friend. He had his dinner bucket over his arm, and supposed she would cut him as the rest had done. She smiled pleasantly, addressed him as "Tom," and insisted that he should call and see her, as he had always done. She said: "There is no change in you as far as I am concerned." The years rolled on. The young workboy became immensely wealthy, and is now the Mayor of New Haven with an income of $100,000 a year, and owner of a factory in which 1,500 men and women are employed. The young girl grew to womanhood and married. Her husband borrowed a large sum of money from Mr. Bigelow, and died before he had paid it, leaving his family with but little property. Mr. Bigelow sent her, with his condolence, a receipted note for his indebtedness; and now the son of Bigelow, the Millionaire, is going to marry the daughter of the woman who was faithful and true to the young workboy at college.

Business.

The lumber business is better than it has been for years, and our county is reaping a substantial benefit, especially from the hemlock lumber and bark trade.

Quite a number of new mills are being built, old ones that have been idle for several years are being started up, and all the mills are kept running night and day and can scarcely keep up with the orders.

A larger amount of hemlock bark will be shipped this season than ever before, which, with the amount used by our extensive tanneries, will give employment to a very large number of men.

There is also a project on foot to materially increase our coal operations, which will necessitate the building of a new railroad from this place to Canoe Run, and add greatly to the business interests of Emporium and this section of the county.

The business outlook for Cameron county has never been so encouraging as at the present time, and Emporium, having got upon a sound financial footing, will continue to improve and make a good business center.—*Press*

A Loosing Joke.

A prominent physician of Pittsburgh said jokingly to a lady patient who was complaining of her continued ill-health, and of his inability to cure her, "try Hop Bitters!" The lady took it in earnest and used the Bitters, from which she obtained permanent health. She now laughs at the doctor for his joke, but he is not so well pleased with it, as it cost him a good patient.

REPUBLICANS in all parts of the State, says the Harrisburg *Telegraph*, are doing good work when they form clubs. Now is the time to enter into all such organizations, of which there ought to be one in every township, borough and ward in Pennsylvania. This is work for the active men of the party, and one which Republican newspapers cannot too earnestly advocate. The campaign for 1880 will be one of the most important ever had in Pennsylvania. It will equal that of 1860, as the same deadly schemes of hostility to the national peace and the Federal authority now lurk in all that the Democratic leaders are doing as it did then, only there is more circumspection in the manner of prosecuting the schemes now than there was then practiced.—What the Republicans want are clubs, local organizations, into which all of them may enter and find a registry whereby they can all be called together for consultation and deliberation during the campaign. The sooner these organizations are attained the better. As a rule no great project is better insured of success than by the thorough organization of those who have them in charge. Unless there is organization, this consultation, this meeting of friends face to face, there can be no cohesive force in the action, and no enthusiasm to call out the greatest powers of the party. We urge it, then, on our Republican cotemporaries at once to urge the necessity of organizing clubs, securing comfortable places of meeting, electing energetic men as officers, and adopting rules of proceedings that will dignify the organization. This is the sure way of making victory at the ballot box certain beyond the peradventure of a doubt.

Col. Scott's Fortune.

How large is the wealth with which Col. T. A. Scott retires is nobody's business but his own; but it may reasonably be conjectured that it has a marvelous unlikeness to the modest amount—less than $50 a month—upon which he went to housekeeping with his young wife in 1847. The force and acuteness with which he has built up his fortune are illustrated by an anecdote told of him by the Philadelphia *Press*. A distinguished lawyer who was counsel in an important railway suit, prepared a statement and argument with unusual care, and believing them evincible visited Colonel Scott for further consultation. The man of affairs listened to every detail without uttering a word; and when the lawyer asked: "What do you think of my presentment of the case?" he gave that learned counsel an answer which startled him. "It is perfect and unanswerable, he said, "in every respect except one"—and then he proceeded to point out an omission or defect which would have rendered all the lawyer's labor useless. The latter, seeing it at a glance, said he had never been so heartly ashamed of any of his own shortcomings as of his failure to notice, after his painstaking studies, the special point which his client instantly detected.

Ladies on Horseback.

Riding on horseback is a useful as well as graceful means of exercise too much neglected by young ladies. A canter for a few miles is a most admirable promoter of female beauty and health. The cheeks, the eyes, lips, and every feature of the fair equestrienne when she dismounts, possess the fresh and sparkling grace which is one of the most important requisites in feminine loveliness, and which can be imparted only by the purity of the blood and its brisk and equal circulation, which are produced by temperature and exercise. The pale, sickly and languid countenance of that lady whose hours of leasure have been passed with occupation within her chamber, or is listlessly lounging upon a sofa or couch, may present attractions to such as have selected their standard of beauty from among the victims of a round of fashionable dissipation; but every man of sense and genuine taste will prefer the ruddy glow of health, the active, agile step, and exuberant gayety of her who is accustomed to spend some time every day in active exercise of foot or on horseback in the open air.

DIED.

At the residence of his nephew, Miller C. Stickles, in Keating township, McKean county, Pa., April 22, 1880, JACOB TEAL, aged 83 years, 2 months and 27 days.

The deceased was born in Dutchess county, N. Y., on the 26th day of January, 1797, and when about eight years of age, in 1805, his parents moved to Claverack, Columbia county, N. Y. In the year 1840, his mother died, leaving him and his youngest sister with his father, who was then nearly blind. In September, 1844, his father died, and the brother and sister, both being unmarried, were left alone. His oldest sister, since deceased, was the wife of Stephen Stickles and lived in McKean county. Mr. Teal after the death of his father, bought his sisters' interests in the old homestead and continued to live upon it with his younger sister until July 22, 1767, when she died. At the request of Mr. Teal Mr. and Mrs. Stickles then went there to aid in arranging his matters and succeeded in making a sale of his farm to take effect in 1869, after which Mr. T. came back to make his home with them in this county. He was taken sick with a cold the last of January and about the same time his sister, who was the mother of Mr. Stickles, and lived with him also, was taken sick and died of dropsy on the 24th of January, 1880, aged 85 years, 9 mos. and 9 days. This event very much affected Mr. Teal and he was soon afterward stricken with paralysis, from the effects of which he died. Both were extremely happy in their old age and were fully prepared for the event which must eventually come upon us all.

Hamilton's Oriental Balm,

Or *Magical Beautifier*, removes all pimples, freckles, and skin blemishes, and gives a clear, transparent complexion, while its naturalness of operation is such that the use of a cosmetic is not suspected. It is the only preparation that meets the wants of refined ladies. Price, 50 cents per bottle. Sold by A. B. Armstrong.

Worms! Worms!!

Children having worms require immediate attention, as neglect of the trouble often causes prolonged sickness. In children worms are indicated by paleness, itching of the nose, grinding of the teeth, starting in sleep, irregular appetite, bad breath, swelled upper lip, and other symptoms. Get a box of *Parmelee's Worm Candies or Lozenges*. They are a safe, pleasant and effectual remedy. Price, 20 cents per box. Sold by A. B. Armstrong.

FROM CHICAGO.

Wholesale Dry Goods House of J. V. Farwell & Co., CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 5, 1878.

DR. M. M. FENNER, Fredonia, N. Y.,

Dear Sir:—I took your Blood and Liver Remedy and Nerve Tonic for a severe bilious attack with perfect success. Three-fourths of a bottle of your St. Vitus Dance Specific completely cured my boy of that disease, after he had been doctored three months by eminent physicans without benefit. I wish also to say that I think highly of your Improved Cough Honey.

Yours truly, J. M. PHELPS.

Dr. Fenner's Blood and Liver Remedy and Nerve Tonic may well be called "the conquering hero" of the times. It is *the* medical triumph of the age. Whoever has "the blues" should take it, for it *regulates* and *restores* the disordered system that gives rise to them. It always cures Biliousness and Liver Complaint, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Headaches, FEVER AND AGUE, SPLEEN ENLARGEMENTS, Scrofula, Erysipelas, Pimples, Blotches and ALL SKIN ERUPTIONS and BLOOD DISORDERS; Swelled Limbs and Dropsy; Sleeplessness, Impaired Nerves and Nervous Debility; Restores flesh and strength when the system is running down or going into decline; cures Female Weakness and Chronic Rheumatism, and relieves Chronic Bronchitis, and all Lung and Throat difficulties. It does these things by striking at the root of disease and removing its causes.

Dr. Fenner's Improved Cough Honey will relieve any cough in one hour. Try a sample bottle at 10 cents.

Dr. Fenner's Golden Relief cures any pain, as Tooth-ache, Neuralgia, Colic or Headache in 5 to 30 minutes, and readily relieves Rheumatism, Kidney Complaint, Diarrhœa, etc. Try a sample bottle at 10 cents.

Dr. Fenner's St. Vitus Dance Specific, One bottle always cures. For sale by A. B. Armstrong. n28-1y.

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HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED



STOMACH BITTERS

Fortify the System

And you are armed against disease. The finest tonic for this purpose is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which renders digestion easy and complete, counteracts biliousness and keeps the bowels in order, and so genial and beneficent are its effects that not only is the body invigorated and regulated by its use, but despondency banished from the mind.

For sale by all druggists and dealers generally.

Land Office of the Bingham Estate.

WELLSBOROUGH, Penn'a, Feb'y 25, 1879.

All persons are hereby cautioned against going upon the unsold lands of this estate without proper authority, therefor. An unauthorized entry upon the lands of the estate, by any person, for any purpose, will make such person or persons liable to prosecution for trespass.

Persons who have bought or leased lands of this estate have deeds, contracts, or leases. The deeds give exact descriptions of the lands to which they refer, and the contracts and leases have on them drafts which show their location. All claims to rights or privileges on lands of this estate, unaccompanied by such evidence, are without foundation, and will not be recognized.

ROBT. C. SIMPSON, Agent of the Trustees.

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Dr. Whittier, of Pittsburgh, Pa.,

It is well known, has for many years stood at the head of the profession in his specialty, all chronic and blood diseases, nervous prostration and all disastrous consequences. See his card in another column. Read his works and judge for yourself.

C. V. GILLIS,

dealer in

DRUGS & MEDICINES,

PAINTS, OILS,

FANCY GOODS, &C.

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$300 A MONTH guaranteed. $12 a day at home made by the industrious. Capital not required; we will start you. Men, Women, boys and girls make money faster at work for us than at anything else. The work is light and pleasant, and such as anyone can go right at. Those who are wise who see this notice will send us their addresses at once and see for themselves. Costly Outfit and terms free. Now is the time. Those already at work are laying up large sums of money. Address TRUE & CO., Augusta, Maine.

GIFFORD & WOLTERS,

Dealers in

LUMBER!

Are prepared to furnish on short notice bills of

Lumber,

Lath and

Shingles,

In quantities to suit customers.

Having superior facilities for supplying the trade they are not only able to sell at the lowest market price but can guarantee their lumber to be as represented.

GIFFORD & WOLTERS,

Mill and Office on Mechanic Street. } Smethport, Pa.

H. W. RUBIN,

Dealer in

GOLD AND SILVER

WATCHES,

Jewelry and

Silverware,

Having employed a first-class Watchmaker, I am now prepared to do all manner of work belonging to the trade.

ALL WORK WARRANTED.

I have also on hand a fine assortment of

LADIES' and GENTS'

FURNISHING GOODS.

Smethport, PA.

LEGAL.

Sheriff's Sales.

BY Virtue of a writ of *Al. Fi. Fa.* issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of McKean Co., to me directed, I have levied upon the following described real estate which I shall expose to public sale at the Court House in Smethport on Monday, the 24th day of May, A. D. 1880, at one o'clock p.m.

The defendant's interest in twenty-seven and eight-tenths acres of land, it being the south equal one-half part of the following lot of land bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning at the corner of lot No. 60 of the allotment of lands of the Bingham estate in Otto township, McKean county, Pa., consigned to Wm. Halsey, thence along the line of said lot south 89¼ degrees east 83 perches; thence along the line of said lot and west line of said lot No. 27, also to the said within Halsey, south ¾ degrees west one hundred ten and six-tenths perches; thence along the north line of lot No's 100 and 180 west 82 perches; thence along the east of lot No. 24 north three-fourths degrees east one hundred and fourteen and eight-tenths perches to the place of beginning, containing fifty-five and six-tenths acres and allowance of six per cent for roads, and having thereon seventeen board buildings, ten oil wells complete, carpenters' rigs complete and all machinery and fixtures thereto belonging.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of J. W. Hogue & E. Hogue at the suit of Joseph & Dornberg.

R. SARTWELL, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Smethport, May 3, 1880.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of *Al. Fieri Facias* issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of McKean county, to me directed, I have levied upon the following described real estate, to wit, which I shall expose to public sale at the Court House in the borough of Smethport, on Monday, the 24th day of May, A. D. 1880, at one o'clock p. m.

The defendant's interest in all that piece or parcel of land situate in Otto township, McKean county, Pa., bounded and described as follows to wit: On the north by the north line of warrant No. 2212, on the east by lot No. 271 of the allotment of the Bingham lands in Otto township, on the south by lot No. 292 contracted to J. W. Mills and on the west by lot No. 213 conveyed to Cook Bowles, containing seventy and eight-tenths acres of land, be the same more or less, it being lot No. 270 of the allotment of the Bingham lands in Otto township and part of warrant 2212—about 30 acres improved and one frame barn, one board house, one corn crib, a young orchard thereon, and well watered—reserving and excepting from above described land nine and sixty-one one-hundredths acres of land contracted to the Acme Oil Company as per survey of W. H. Norton Jan'y 24th, 1880.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of E. K. Pepper at the suit of J. M. & A. W. Scott use Chas. Emprecht for use Anderson Otis & Co.

R. SARTWELL, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Smethport, May 3, 1880.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of VEND. EX. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of McKean county, to me directed, I have levied upon the following described real estate which I shall expose to public sale at the Court House, in the borough of Smethport, on Monday, the 24th day of May, A.D. 1880, at one o'clock p.m.

All that piece or parcel of land situate in Rixford, Otto township, McKean county, Pennsylvania, described as follows, being lot No. 65 in Bartlett's addition to the village of Rixford, and having thereon one two-story board house with wing attached and porch in front.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of D. W. Nutting at the suit of F. P. Bartlett, use of W. W. Dey.

R. SARTWELL, Sheriff.

Sheriff's office, Smethport, May 3, 1880.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of *Fieri Facias* issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of McKean county, to me directed, I have levied upon the following described real estate which I shall expose to public sale at the Court House in the Borough of Smethport, on Monday the 24th day of May, 1880, at one o'clock p.m.

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in Bradford township, county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows to-wit: Commencing at a post and stones marking the south west corner of lot No. 220 being also the north west corner of the Z. W. Fisher farm, and being in the east line of lands now or lately owned by P. Corwin, thence north three degrees thirty minutes east along said east line forty-four and sixty-five one-hundredths rods to an ironwood post corner; thence N. 47° 15' E. 70 1-10 rods to a post standing at the west corner of lands lately owned by Z. W. Fisher and said post being also the west corner of lot No. 202; thence S. 45° 30' E. along the line dividing said lot No. 202 and the land herein described 32½ rods to a beech tree standing on the south bank of Kendall creek; thence S. 46° 30' W. along the dividing line aforesaid 40 rods to a post standing near the north side of the public road; thence S. 22° E. 36 5-10 rods along said dividing line to a post standing on the south side of said road; thence S. 59° 30' west along said dividing line 38 5-10 rods to a post, thence N. 69° 15' west along the dividing line between a part of said Fisher farm and the land herein described 73 35-100 rods to the place of beginning containing fifty and sixty-six one-hundredths acres, more or less, and being the eastern part of lot No. 220 and part of warrants No's 3332 and 3333 and having thereon one oil well.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of H. B. Dollof at the suit of Catharine A. B. Lovejoy.

R. SARTWELL, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Smethport, May 3, 1880.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of *Levari Fa.* issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of McKean county, to me directed, I have levied upon the following real estate, which I shall expose to public sale at the Court House in the borough of Smethport on Monday, the 24th day of May, A.D. 1880, at one o'clock p. m.

A building situate on east side of Depot avenue in the village of Rixford, Otto township, said lot having a frontage of forty feet and extending back 150 feet and having a two story frame building thereon erected, having a frontage of 36 feet and a depth of 25 feet and a one story addition in the rear having a width of 36 feet and a depth of 44 feet and used as a livery and feed stable.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of John Murry at the suit of A. J. North.

R. SARTWELL, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Smethport, May 3, 1880.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of LEVARI FACIAS issued out of the court of Common Pleas of McKean county, to me directed, I have levied upon the following described real estate which I shall expose to public sale at the Court House in the Borough of Smethport, on Monday the 24th day of May A.D. 1880, at one o'clock p. m.

All that certain piece of land situate in Bradford township, McKean county, Pa., the undivided half of the following: Beginning at a post in the north east corner of lands late David W. Mason located and staked out by Thomas King, surveyor, thence north three degrees east one hundred rods to a beech tree; thence south eighty-seven degrees east sixty-four rods to a post; thence south three degrees west one hundred rods to a post, thence north eighty-seven degrees west sixty-four rods to the place of beginning containing forty acres and in warrant 4066, subject to all the conditions contained in deed from F. G. Babcock et al to J. B. & W. H. Mandeville dated March 27, 1877.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of W. H. Mandeville at the suit of J. B. Mandeville.

R. SARTWELL, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Smethport, May 3, 1880.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of *Fieri Facias* issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of McKean county, to me directed, I have levied upon the following described real estate to wit which I shall expose to public sale at the Court House, in the borough of Smethport, on Monday, the 24th day of May, A.D. 1880, at one o'clock p.m.

All that piece or parcel of land situate in Annin township, county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning at a post in the center of the road, being the southwest corner of land conveyed by J. F. Evans to Niles Kinney, thence by the centre of the road north four degrees, east thirty-seven and nine-tenths rods to a post in the centre of the road, thence east seven and five tenths rods to a post corner, thence south thirty-seven and nine-tenths rods to a post corner on the south line said land of Niles Kinney; thence west ten and seven-tenths rods to the place of beginning, containing two acres and nineteen perches of land be the same more or less, being part of lot No. 45, of the allotment of Keating lands in Annin Township and part of warrant No. 3444, together with one dwelling house one and one-half stories high with wing attached, one board barn, with usual outhouses, a quantity of fruit and shade trees, one spring of water.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of C. H. Holcomb, J. M. Wood, J. R. Kinney, L. J. Phenix, G. O. Buckley, E. C. Cooper, D. Buckley, E. B. Buckley and J. C. Evans at the suit of F. H. Arnold.

R. SARTWELL, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Smethport, May 3, 1880.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of *Fi. Fa.* issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of McKean Co. to me directed, I have levied upon the following described real estate to wit, which I shall expose to public sale at the Court House in the borough of Smethport, on Monday, the 24th day of May, A.D. 1880, at one o'clock p. m.

All that piece or parcel of land situate in the village of Port Allegany, McKean county and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows to wit: Commencing at a post in the center of the public (Olean) road, where intersected by Pearl street, thence 19 rods 3½ links to a post corner in the centre of said road, thence south 28½ degrees east ten rods to a post, thence south 61½ degrees west ten rods to a post; thence north 28½ degrees west ten rods to a post in centre of the road; thence north 61½ degrees east ten rods along the centre of said road to a post containing one hundred square rods, being lot No. 7 of the Vanderhule addition, being in a good state of cultivation and having erected thereon one frame dwelling house about 20 by 24 feet, one well of water, about 15 young apple trees.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of H. Rosencrans at the suit of A. Carlson, use of L. H. Dolley & Co.

R. SARTWELL, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Smethport, May 3, 1880.

Financial Statement

Of the Supervisors of Annin Township Road Fund.

Amount of Floating Debt........$ [illegible]
Valuation of Taxable Property........ [illegible]

Assets:

In hands of County Commissioners........ $147

D. SIMPSON,
F. K. WINSHIP, } Supervisors.

Turtle Point, Pa., May 3, 1880.

Buffalo Coal Company.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Buffalo Coal Company will be held at the Office of the company at Clermont, Pa., on Thursday, May 20th, at 12 o'clock, Noon, at which time and place the Annual Election will be held.

ALEX. WHITE, Clerk.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 4, 1880.–n24-3t

LEGAL.

Sheriff Sale.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of FIERI FACIAS issued out of the court of Common Pleas of McKean Co., to me directed, I have levied upon the following described real estate, to wit, which I shall expose to public sale at the Court House in the Borough of Smethport, on Monday the 24th day of May, 1880, at one o'clock p. m.

All the following described piece, parcel or lot of land lying and being in the township of Otto, County of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post standing south 3¼ degrees west 28 perches from an ash, the northeast corner of lot No 5, of the allotment of Keating Lands in said township; thence south 3¼ degrees west 12 and 2-10 perches to a post corner; thence south 89½ degrees west 43 and 6-10 perches to a post corner in the center of the road; thence by the center of the road north 20½ degrees west 24 and 5-10 perches to a post corner; thence south 86¼ degrees east 52 and 9-10 perches to the place of beginning, containing 5 acres and 44 square perches. All improved with plenty of good water, and having thereon one oil well complete, with engine, tubing, casing, rig, three tanks and tank houses.

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R. SARTWELL, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa., May 1, 1880.

Argument List

Commencing May 24, 1880.

1 Kerr, Geider & Co. vs C R Painter & Co, No 477, June Term, 1879. Motion to set aside judgment.

2 John A & I. Faught vs James O'Brien, No 144 December Term, 1878. Rule to show cause why judgment should not be stricken off the record at cost of Plaintiff.

3 James E Blair vs L C Farr & F M Fuller, No 179 December Term 1877. Rule to show cause why judgment should not be opened and defendant let into a defense, proceedings to be stayed in the meantime.

4 In the matter of widening Kennedy Street in Bradford City, No 381 June Term 1879, Appeal of A D DeGolier from award of viewers.

5 A N Taylor vs C L & E Dennis, No 379 June Term 1879. Rule to show cause why levy should not be set aside and proceedings to stay in meantime.

6 Owen Gridley et al use of Executors of A N Taylor, dec'd vs M Finnegan, No 262 February Term 1880. Rule to show cause why judgment should not be opened and defendant let into a defense, all further proceedings on Fi Fa to stay in meantime.

7 Fisher & Stevenson vs L J Davis, No 298 February Term 1880. Rule to show cause why judgment should not be entered for want of a sufficient affidavit of defense.

8 C & J Williams vs F C Phillips, No 162 February Term 1880. Certiorari from Justice Barton.

9 Morris Tasker & Co vs Thomas Bradley & Co. No 438 June Term 1879. Rule to show cause why judgment should not be opened and defendant let into a defense.

10 Ewens & Stone use of James Winship vs Thomas Connelly, No 346 September Term 1877. Rule to show cause why judgment should not be opened and defendant let into a defense as to sum of $420.

11 Howe & Cook use of Eaton, Cole & Burnham Co vs Yates, Koob & Co, No 454, June Term 1879. Rule to show cause why judgment should not be opened.

12 Producers' Torpedo Company vs F E Sweet, No 250 December Term, 1879. Rule to show cause why judgment should not be opened and defendant let into a defense.

13 S T Cole vs C S Barrett, No 19 May Term, 1880. Rule to show cause why the appeal in above case should not be stricken off.

14 John Proudfit vs George A Berry, No 94 December Term, 1879. Rule to show cause why judgment should not be entered for want of sufficient affidavit of defense.

15 George A Berry vs T J Campbell, No 433 September Term 1879. Rule to show cause why attachment in execution should not be dissolved and objection to confirmation of Sheriff's deed.

16 P L Daigle and wife vs Wellington Lord, John Geim and Walter Anderson, No 178 February Term 1879. Rule to show cause why judgment should not be stricken off, proceedings to stay in meantime.

17 F P Page vs J N Pew, No 682 June Term, 1879. Rule to show cause why award should not be stricken off, proceedings to stay in meantime.

18 In the matter of the petition of the Overseers of the Poor of Keating township. Rule on Esek Smith to show cause why he should not maintain his Grand-daughter.

19 Petition of L B Prosser. Rule to show cause why the appointment of W W Washburn as constable of Bradford township should not be vacated.

20 State Line Oil Company vs Hutchinson and McPherson, No 353 February Term 1880. Rule to show cause why judgment should not be stricken off, all proceedings to stay in meantime.

21 A C Williams vs The Bradford Gas Co, No 26 December Term 1879. Rule to show cause why the writ of execution should not be set aside.

22 Fred Schwartz vs Dix & Co, No 390 February Term 1879. Rule to show cause why the judgment in this case as against J L Hodge should not be stricken off and the writ of Fi Fa set aside, proceedings to stay in meantime.

23 J E Butts, Jr. Agent vs M Place & A H Moore, No 197 December Term 1878. Motion for rule on Sheriff of Erie Co. to return writ of Test. Fi Fa.

24 J E Butts, Jr, Agent vs M Place, No 198 December Term 1878. Motion for Rule on Sheriff of Erie county to return writ of Test Fi Fa.

25 Bingham Trustees vs Charles C Melvin, George C Howe, A B Walker and T J Melvin, No 119 May Term 1880. Rule to show cause why judgment in ejectment should not be stricken off and writ of Hab Fa Pos with Fi Fa for costs, should not be set aside at costs of Plaintiff.

26 Bingham Trustees vs C C Melvin, George C Howe, A B Walker and T J Melvin, No 120 May Term, 1880. Rule to show cause why judgment in ejectment should not be stricken off and writ of Hab Fac Pos with clause of Fi Fa for costs should not be set aside at costs of Plaintiff.

27 Bingham Trustees vs C C Melvin, George C Howe, A B Walker and T J Melvin, No 187 May Term 1880. Rule to show cause why judgment in ejectment should not be stricken off and writ of Hab Fa Pos with clause of Fi Fa for costs should not be set aside at costs of Plaintiff.

28 G L Baxley vs E H Stout, No 551 September Term 1879. Rule to show cause why judgment should not be opened and defendant let into a defense, writ of Fi Fa to stay in meantime.

29 William Mooney vs N C Clark et al., No 98 May Term 1880. Rule to show cause why Mechanics' Lien should be stricken off and Sci Fa Sur Mechanics' Lien issued should not be set aside.

30 Charles Babbett and Albert Moore vs N C Clark et al., No 94 May Term 1880. Rule to show cause why Mechanics' Lien should not be stricken off and the Sci Fa Sur Mechanics' Lien should not be set aside.

31 S S Moses vs J M Wright et al., No 130 December Term 1879. Rule to show cause why the Sheriff should not pay to the Plaintiff money made on the execution in above case.

32 John Cochran vs S J Rockwell, No 8 May Term 1880. Rule to show cause why new trial in above case should not be granted.

33 C H Hart vs Horace Colegrove, No 10 December Term 1878. Rule to show cause why judgment should not be opened; writ of Fi Fa stayed in meantime; levy to remain.

34 Orange Noble, Plaintiff in Error &c. vs J D Fagundus, Defendant in Error &c., No 159 May Term 1880. Certiorari to G. F. Barton J P.

35 Orange Noble Plaintiff in Error &c. vs J D Fagundus Defendant in Error &c., No 160 May Term 1880. Certiorari to G F Barton, J P.

36 Orange Noble Plaintiff in Error &c., vs J D Fagundus Defendant in Error &c., No 161 May Term 1880. Certiorari to G F Barton J P.

37 Orange Noble Plaintiff in Error &c., vs J D Fagundus Defendant in Error &c., No 162 May Term 1880. Certiorari to G F Barton J P.

38 Orange Noble Plaintiff in Error &c., vs J D Fagundus Defendant in Error &c., No 163 May Term 1880. Certiorari to G F Barton J P.

39 Orange Noble Plaintiff in Error &c vs J D Fagundus Defendant in Error &c., No 164 May Term 1880. Certiorari to G F Barton J P.

40 Orange Noble Plaintiff in Error &c., vs J D Fagundus Defendant in Error &c., No 165 May Term 1880. Certiorari to G F Barton J P.

41 Orange Noble Plaintiff in Error &c., vs J D Fagundus Defendant in Error &c., No 166 May Term 1880. Certiorari to G F Barton J P.

42 Orange Noble Plaintiff in Error &c., vs J D Fagundus Defendant in Error &c., No 167 May Term 1880. Certiorari to G F Barton J P.

43 Orange Noble Plaintiff in Error &c., vs J D Fagundus Defendant in Error &c., No 168 May Term 1880. Certiorari to G F Barton J P.

44 Orange Noble Plaintiff in Error &c., vs J D Fagundus Defendant in Error &c., No 169 May Term 1880. Certiorari to G F Barton J P.

45 Orange Noble Plaintiff in Error &c., vs J D Fagundus Defendant in Error &c., No 170 May Term 1880. Certiorari to G F Barton J P.

46 Orange Noble Plaintiff in Error &c., vs J D Fagundus Defendant in Error &c., No 171 May Term 1880. Certiorari to G F Barton J P.

47 Orange Noble Plaintiff in Error &c., vs J D Fagundus Defendant in Error &c., No 172 May Term 1880. Certiorari to G F Barton J P.

48 Orange Noble Plaintiff in Error &c., vs J D Fagundus Defendant in Error &c., No 173 May Term 1880. Certiorari to G F Barton J P.

49 Orange Noble Plaintiff in Error &c vs J D Fagundus Defendant in Error &c., No 174 May Term 1880. Certiorari to G F Barton J P.

50 Orange Noble Plaintiff in Error &c., vs J D Fagundus Defendant in Error &c., No 175 May Term 1880. Certiorari to G F Barton J P.

51 Orange Noble Plaintiff in Error &c., vs J D Fagundus Defendant in Error &c., No 176 May Term 1880. Certiorari to G F Barton J P.

52 Orange Noble Plaintiff in Error &c., vs J D Fagundus Defendant in Error &c., No 177 May Term 1880. Certiorari to G F Barton J P.

53 Orange Noble Plaintiff in Error &c., vs J D Fagundus Defendant in Error &c., No 178 May Term 1880. Certiorari to G F Barton J P.

54 Orange Noble Plaintiff in Error &c., vs J D Fagundus Defendant in Error &c., No 179 May Term 1880. Certiorari to G F Barton, J P.

55 Commonwealth vs Margaret Supples, No 27 February Sessions 1880. Rule to show cause why new trial should not be granted.

56 Commonwealth vs Patrick Lee, No 105 September Sessions 1879. Rule why forfeiture of bail in above case should not be remitted.

57 Commonwealth vs Leo Bickert, No 44 February Term, 1880. Rule to show cause why forfeited recognizance should not be canceled.

58 Commonwealth vs Leo Bickert, No 45 February Sessions 1880. Rule to show cause why forfeited recognizance should not be canceled.

59 Phoenix Iron Works vs C A Thilo, No 250 May Term 1880. Rule to show cause why proceedings shall not be stayed &c.

60 Bradford Oil Co vs William C Freeman, No 190 February Term 1878. Rule to show cause why judgment of non-suit shall not be taken off.

61 John T Wheeler vs David Lamb owner, Nathan Wood contractor, No 31 May Term 1880. Rule to show cause why lien shall not be stricken off.

62 W W Patrick vs United Pipe Line, No 6 June Term 1879. In Equity. Motion for rehearing in above entitled case for reasons alleged in petition.

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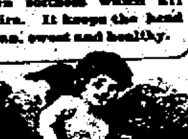


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